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SUIT BEGUN

By Republicans to Set Aside the Apportionment Act.

Gov. Matthews Gives His Reasons for Refusing to Call the Legislature Together.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 3.—As soon as the reply of Governor Matthews refusing to call a special session of the legislature was placed in the hands of Chairman Gowdy, of the republican state central committee, suit was instituted in the superior court of this county to set aside the apportionment act of 1885 as unconstitutional. The court is asked to restrain the clerk and auditor of this county from issuing certificates for holding the election for senators and representatives under the law of 1885, setting up that the districts as therein constituted are unfair to many sections and in disregard of the census taken by the auditor of state in 1884 and on which the number of senators and representatives is based.

The complaint declares that Marion county, under the census, was entitled to three senators and six representatives, but the act complained of apportioned to that county but two senators and five representatives, thus disfranchising a large number of people out of the right to an equitable representation in the legislature. Similar complaint is made of numerous counties.

The complaint also alleges that the basis or unit of representation at that time was 5 000 voters for one representative and 10,000 voters for one senator, but in some districts representatives and senators were apportioned to counties having less than the unit, and in others but a single senator or representative was apportioned where the vote was largely in excess of the unit. There is little doubt but the democrats will now carry out their plan of having the supreme court decision construed by that body so as to order the election of an entirely new legislature, thus ignoring the twenty-five hold-over senators, of whom nineteen are republicans.

GOVERNOR MATTHEW'S LETTER.

Governor Matthews sent a reply to Chairman Gowdy, of the republican state central committee, to the memorial asking the executive to call a special session of the legislature. Since the memorial was submitted the governor has received a large number of letters and telegrams asking him to refuse to call the legislature together, the writers urging that a special session is unnecessary and would put the state to a needless expense. After referring to the necessary delay in replying to the memorial, the governor says:

While you present this memorial as the duly accredited representatives of a political party I must in this reply consider it as an official of the people, clothed with a responsibility by the recent decision of the supreme court of the state, adjudging all acts for legislative opportionment since the act of 1885 to be unconstitutional, I have fully realized the serious responsibility thus thrust upon me and have endeavored to determine the best course to pursue independent of political considerations and only with regard to the welfare of all the people of the state. The constitution provides that "if in the opinion of the governor the public welfare shall require it he may at any time by proclamation call a special session." An executive hesitates to avail himself of this authority except in conditions of extreme exigency, and when there may be no other way of remedying evils. Besides, in the present situation there are grave doubts in the minds of many prudent, careful and well informed citizens as to whether there is a lawful legislature to be called together after the acts under which the last general assembly were elected had been declared unconstitutional.

"To convene the legislature would be to remedy a supposed necessity but temporarily. It will become the duty of the next general assembly, that of 1897, under the constitution to apportion the state for legislative purposes, and I cannot see my way clear to put this expense upon the people of the state when the time is so near for the regular constitutional apportionment. Fortunately the supreme court after careful and deliberate thought has, I believe, clearly and wisely, in full recognition of existing conditions, pointed the way out of the difficulty by indicating that a legal election may be held under the act of 1885 You make the claim in your statement that the law of 1885 is self evidently unconstitutional. I readily concede to you the right to presume this to be the case, but I cannot assume the law of 1885 to be unconstitutional until it has been so declared by the highest judicial tribunal of the state.

"The people are wearied with the litigation growing out of the discontent of the few, and there is reason to believe that the public in general is not filled with alarm at the supposed evils and confusion that would result from an election of the legislature under this law that is entertained by a few through selfish and personal motives. I fully concur with you, gentlemen, in all that may be said in denunciation of the infamy, the injustice and the wrong of partisan apportionments called gerrymanders. It is to be hoped that no future legislatures will ever prove so recreant to the trust confided in them by their fellow citizens as characterized the last and some past legislatures

"You further state that, owing to the grave situation the committee of which you are a part decided "after long and conscientious deliberation" to ask of the members of the general assembly of the political party for which you claim the right to speak and which controlled that assembly, a pledge that if called together in special session "no general legislation should be entered upon except to pass a constitutional apportionment law;" or, to put it in other words, that having failed to perform their duty as representatives and as required by the constitution while in regular session they would, if given the opportunity, perform those duties in a right and proper way.

"It is a matter of public knowledge that at the opening of the campaign of 1894 a distinguished member of your party and now commonly reported to be a candidate for the United States senate sounded the 'keynote' and devoted nearly his entire speech to the subject of apportionment. In this speech he promised that if his party candidates were chosen a just, equitable and constitutional apportionment should be enacted. This same promise was made by the candidates of your party. The general assembly met, took the oath of office to support the constitution of the state, but, notwithstanding this oath, in spite of previous decisions of the supreme court pointing out objectionable and unconstitutional features of former laws, in disregard of promises given to the people, ignoring repeated warnings of their own party and heedless of the message of the executive directing their attention to the unconstitutionality of the acts, proceeded wantonly, willfully and defiantly to enact a law that for injustice and outrageous disfranchisement of citizens has not had its equal upon the statute books of Indiana. In view of these facts I hope you will pardon me, gentlemen, if I am not impressed with that confidence in the ability or the disposition of the last general assembly to enact a valid apportionment law."

WILL GO TO CORINTO.

The Alert Receives Her Sailing Orders.

After Coaling at Acapulco, She Will Sail for Nicaragua to Protect American Interests.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The United States ship Alert arrived at Acapulco, Mexico, this morning, and reported the fact by cable to the navy department. Orders have been dispatched already to the commander to start southward again with his ship for Corinto, to protect American interests there during the revolutionary disturbances in Nicaragua. The ship must first take a supply of coal aboard at Acapulco which will consume a day at least, and the return trip will be made in about three days more, so that the Alert will be at Corinto about Thursday evening or Friday morning. Although no information is obtainable at the state department respecting the reports to the department from Minister Baker at Managua, it is believed that the officials look upon the uprising as serious in extent.

CRIED LIKE A CHILD.

Tommy Ryan Whipped by Kid McCoy in Fifteen Rounds.

MASPETH, L. I., March 3.—Kid McCoy knocked out Tommy Ryan, now of Syracuse, N. Y., but formerly of Chicago, in fifteen rounds at the Empire Athletic club last night. McCoy had the best of it in every round and came out practically without a scratch or mark. Ryan, on the other hand, was badly used up. Tim Hurst acted as referee.

As usual Ryan thought he had an easy mark, and it was something of a sensation to him to discover a fighter in front of him. From the call of time to the end of the second round Ryan smiled in a contemptuous manner at what he considered his easy foe. Then two or three stiff punches in the face woke him up and he became a trifle more cautious. He guarded himself closer and shifted about more on his feet, but no matter where he stepped, nor how quickly, McCoy was always there with right and left hand punches, which seldom failed to land and with effect.

Then the "yellow streak" with which Ryan has been accused of having, asserted itself. The punishment was too much and hurt him. He began running around the ring, and McCoy chased him faster than George Dawson did on a memorable occasion. Even at running McCoy was the better man, and kept close enough to Ryan to peli him in the neck and back of the head. When Ryan was too tired to run any more he stood his ground and took the beating which had been predicted for him.

After the battle Ryan cried like a child and begged McCoy to promise him a return battle. The winner gave him little consolation.

THE NORTH POLE.

Prof. Andre Will Try to Reach It in a Balloon.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Henry Lund, consul of Norway and Sweden, has received an official communication from the Swedish minister at Washington calling his attention to the fact that Prof Andre will start in his balloon in July next to attempt to reach the north pole. The purpose of the communication was to ask the good offices of Consul Lund in spreading the news northward so as to apprise the natives to be not only on the lookout for the expedition, but should the descent be made among them to treat the voyagers kindly and render them what aid they can.

WILL SETTLE.

Great Britain and Venezuela Becoming Amicable.

The Vexatious and Threatening Boundary Dispute in a Fair Way to Final Settlement.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—It has been learned by the Associated Press that the British ambassador here, Sir Julian Pauncefote, and the Venezuelan minister in this city, Senor Andrade, have entered into direct negotiations for a settlement of the Yuruan incident, which involved the arrest of a British police official in the territory in dispute between Venezuela and Great Britain, the hauling down of the British flag and a subsequent demand for an indemnity upon the part of Great Britain.

It is impossible to learn to what stage this prospective settlement of the most important incident arising out of the dispute over the Venezuelan boundary had advanced, but there is good reason to believe that some definite announcement concerning the matter may be expected at an early day. As to the manner of conducting the negotiations, little information can be gained at this time, owing to the extreme reticence of all parties concerned, but the essential point is that Great Britain and Venezuela, whose relations have been strained so badly that there has been no diplomatic relations between them for several years, are once more in a fair way to a resumption of direct communication with each other and that a step has been taken which may pave the way to an amicable adjustment of the vexatious and threatening boundary dispute. When inquiry was made at the British embassy, Sir Julian Pauncefote said that it was impossible to make any statement on the subject. Senor Andrade, the Venezuelan minister, was equally reserved, although his secretary declared that the minister had had no direct communication with the British ambassador. This would indicate that the negotiations have proceeded through an intermediary, or by correspondence.

FEARFUL EXPLOSION.

Parks Brothers' Establishment Laid in Waste.

Two Men so Badly Injured They Cannot Survive—Property to the Amount of $200,000 Destroyed.

DANBURY, Conn., March 3.—By a boiler explosion in Parks Brothers' fur cutting establishment today, a fire was caused, which did damage amounting to fully $200,000, and resulted in probably fatal injuries to two men. The explosion tore the roof from the building, a small wooden affair of two stories. Edward Parks, one of the proprietors was thrown down by the explosion and frightfully burned. He may die. The building was quickly consumed, together with a sash and blind factory adjoining it. The flames communicated also with the Barnum building, the Sherman block, and other property, which was consumed. Sadie Carpenter, a tenant of an upper floor, jumped from a window and broke her thigh. Frank Eastwood, a fireman, was buried beneath a falling wall and fatally injured. There are rumors that two children are missing, but the report cannot be verified.

PENSION CASES.

Recent Rulings of the Department in Seveal Cases.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—A number of new rulings in pension cases are made by Assistant Secretary of the Interior Reynolds, in recent opinions. In disposing of a case of alleged disloyalty of a Tennesseean, the assistant secretary holds that involuntary service by a conscript does not, being a claimant for pension within the provisions of section 4 716 of the revised statutes. An honorable discharge from all service contracted to be performed during the war of the rebellion is held to be prerequisite to pension under the section of the act of June 27, 1890, and the appellant's desertion from the United States service in 1883 and failure to receive an honorable discharge bars his right to pension under that act. This, though rejecting the claim because of desertion, reverses the action of the pension bureau which dropped the claimants from the rolls, "on the ground of disloyalty, he having previously served in the confederate army."

The naval home in Philadelphia is declared by the department to be an naval hospital within the meaning of section 4813 of the revised statutes, and pensions due to its inmates accordingly must be paid to the secretary of the navy. It is held that there is just cause for complaint by the sailors there of discrimination by act of congress in favor of the soldier inmates, but the appeal for relief is directed to congress instead of the department.

A claimant in the Eighth Missouri infantry, who was shot by a civilian in consequence of remarks made by him relative to a quarrel then in progress between the civilian and another officer of the claimant's regiment, is decided to have not been in the line of duty.

Commissioner of Pensions Lochren has informed Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood that her appeal from the action of the pension office in requiring her to refund $25 in a certain claim has been allowed and the money will be returned to her. Mrs. Lockwood had paid back the $25 and then took the appeal. It was for the retaining of this fee asserted to have been illegally paid to her that the report was circulated that she would be disbarred from practice before the pension office, but the action of the commissioner shows that there was nothing of an illegal character about the transaction.

RECORDS BROKEN.

The Coronado Beach Tracks the Scene of the Race.

W. W. Hamilton Reduces the Time in One Mile, Two-thirds of a Mile and One-third of a Mile Records.

CORONADO BEACH, Cal., March 3.—Four world's records were broken here. W. W. Hamilton, paced by Taylor, Aldridge, Miller and Vaughan on a quad, and Stone, Terrell, Washburn, Jenks, and Connibear on a quint, cut the world's record for one mile, flying start, to 1:39 1-5. A slight breeze arose shortly after the ride for the mile. Hamilton then went out, paced by the same two teams, for Earle's two-thirds mile mark of 1:07. Hamilton rode it in :58 3-5. After resting twenty minutes he went out again for the one-third mile unpaced and cut the distance in :33 3-5. The former record was 36 1-5. Taylor and Terrell then went out for the half mile tandem record and made the distance in :52 3-5. The former record was 53 4-5. The trials were timed, judged and started by L. A. W. officials.

THE ITALIANS WHIPPED.

Repulsed by the Black Shoans in Africa.

Five Hundred Dead Soldiers Left on the Battle Field by the Retreating Army.

ROME, March 3.—It is reported here today that General Baraterie, commander of the Italian forces in Africa, who has suffered another severe reverse at the hands of the Shoans while advancing on Abbacaima, was wounded during the engagement. Full details of the battle have not been received here, but it appears that the defeat of the Italians was complete.

According to the correspondent in Africa of the Popolo Romano, half the Italian artillery and all the ammunition and provisions were lost. Other advices report that 500 of the Italian soldiers engaged in the battle were killed and that among them are Generals Albertone and Darbormodi, who commanded two of the three columns. The number of wounded is not yet stated.

During the evening a rumor run through the city that General Baratieri, when he became aware of the full extent of the disaster, wrote a letter to his successor, General Baldisserà, and then committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. At the ministry of war, however, the rumor was discredited.

BUSINESS BLOCK SOLD.

P. E. Cox Purchases the Klotz Block for $10,000.

A real estate deal of considerable importance was made on South Calhoun street yesterday. The Klotz block, on the northwest corner of Calhoun and Allen streets, was sold by the owner, Daniel Klotz, to Patrick E. Cox, the well known plumber. The consideration was $10,000. The building is two stories high and two store rooms in width. It is occupied by J. M. Neufer's drug store and the grocery of M. Rinehart & Co. Mr. Cox intends to remodel the building, lower the floors, put in new plate glass fronts, etc, and add to it every convenience.

Big Cat Show.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Less than 200 cats were on exhibition today at the opening of the second annual cat show in Madison Square Garden. These highly prized creatures occupied roomy cages ranged upon six long rows of tables, which flank a little stage upon which troops of trick cats will be put through their performances several times each day during the continuance of the show. The prizes, amounting in all to $1 500, will be awarded by T. Farrar Rockham and Dr. Rush Huidekoper. In addition there are a number of special prizes to be given. The show is under society auspices.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND

Will Preside at a Home Missions Meeting.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—President Cleveland, accompanied by Private Secretary Thurber, left Washington this morning for New York in a private car attached to the 11 o'clock train on the Pennsylvania road. He will preside at the annual meeting of the board of Home Missions tonight. It is expected that he will arrive in New York City at 5 o'clock this afternoon. He will leave there on the return trip on the midnight train, bringing him in here at 7:20 o'clock tomorrow morning.

LOCAL LINES.

The ladies of Grace Reformed church will give a Japanese social, Thursday evening.

The funeral of Mrs. L. A. Cooper will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. Hedeworth, at No. 158 West Wayne street.

Tomorrow evening, at the Wayne street M. E. church, Marian Harland, the distinguished author, will lecture on "Will the Coming Woman Come." She is a brilliant and interesting platform orator.

Mrs. F. A. Hitchcock received a message this morning that her father, of Spencerville, Ohio, was dying. She left for home over the Pittsburg road at noon today.

WAR WITH SPAIN

Seems to Grow Less Probable as the Days Pass.

Uncle Sam Sends His Revenue Cutters Out to Intercept Two Filibustering Expeditions.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The treasury department has sent instructions to the commanders of revenue cutters in Florida waters directing them to use every effort to intercept alleged filibustering expeditions bound for Cuba, which the Spanish authorities have reported to the state department as about to leave Alligator Key, between Key West and Tampa.

The senate committee on judiciary has not yet taken any action on the subject of the extent and power of the concurrent resolutions passed by congress and whether or not the executive has authority to veto them or whether they are merely an expression of the opinion of congress. As the resolutions relative to Cuba are concurrent, the decision of the judiciary committee on this point will be interesting. It is understood that Senators Hoar and Hill, who were appointed a subcommittee to consider this matter, will request the opinion of the attorney general upon the resolutions introduced by Senator Hill.

The next steps likely in congress on the Cuban resolutions depend upon whether or not the house will correct the error made by its clerk in transmitting the resolutions to the senate. If the resolutions are not recalled, the senate committee on foreign relations will probably tomorrow take up the house resolutions and amend them by reporting those already agreed to in the senate as a substitute. This will necessitate considerable deliberation in the senate with possibly motions to concur in the house resolutions or to amend them. The senate committee has shown a disposition to avoid discussion and to get the resolutions into conference by waiting for the house to correct its error.

EUROPEAN NEWSPAPER COMMENTS.

PARIS, March 3.—Commenting upon the situation the Estafette trusts that President Cleveland will "reflect before proclaiming the independence of Cuba," adding: "Spain will not allow herself to be intimidated by the arrogance of the American senate."

The Soleil says: "The Spaniards who did not tremble before Bismarck will not tremble before the Americans when the day of action arrives. Spain is strong in her independence and intractable pride and will not recede."

LONDON, March 3.—The afternoon newspapers of this city again refer at length to the Cuban situation, in which everybody here is much interested.

The Westminster Gazette says: "The American congress' action is steadily destroying not only respect abroad, but its influence in the conduct of foreign affairs, and the strange result of this rabid republicanism, is that it is daily forcing one man more and more into power."

The St. James Gazette thinks that the language of congress is "more provocative than the Barcelona disturbance," adding, "Spain is now face to face with the declared hostility of the representatives of the American people, and an immediate reply will be given by the proud Spanish race that will be creditable to their spirit and deserve the sympathy of Europe. If war be the result, the jingo politicians may be surprised. We do not see where, outside of the United States, the Americans will find any support for their unlimited policy of aggression."

The Globe says: "There are other interests in Cuba beside the American, and may be there are European powers that would not quietly look on while the United States declare the remarkable Monroe doctrine which seems to forbid anybody to interfere with anything on which the eagle has its eye, while it encourages that officious bird to poke its beak into the business of everybody else."

The Pall Mall Gazette expresses the opinion that "the house of representatives has done well to smooth the rough edges of the senate's resolution. Great Britain is but remotely concerned in the business. There is the broad fact that Cuba under Spain is perpetually revolting or wanting to revolt. Nobody, therefore, is especially anxious to back Spain through thick and thin, especially through thin."

THE TOBACCO TRADE.

Opening Gun for a War Has Been Fired.

CHICAGO, March 3.—An opening gun, expected to precipitate war in the tobacco trade, has been fired by one of the leading anti-trust concerns. Every tobacco jobber in the country, which in Chicago includes the wholesale grocery houses, has been advised by mail of a cut of three cents per pound in the price of one of the many brands of plug tobacco. The cut was made in such a way that it is plainly the design to undermine the price of the trust's cigarettes or supplant them with anti-trust goods of a similar sort.

Mrs Emma Bass, of No. 489 East Wayne street, widow of Albert Bass, who died about a year ago, has received notice that she has been granted a pension of $12 per month, together with about $250 back pay.

WESTERN SNOW STORM.

The Ground Covered From Three to Twelve Inches Deep.

OMAHA, Neb., March 3.—Dispatches from every part of Nebraska and western Iowa report a fall of snow ranging from three inches to a foot, evenly distributed, and still falling. In Omaha fully a foot has fallen and only a heavy wind is needed to convert the blinding storm into a blizzard of the worst kind. Street railway traffic is kept open only by the constant circle of the powerful sweepers.

CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR

Their Names Will Head Delegate Tickets at Primaries.

The Democratic City Central Committee Meet and Adopt Rules to Regulate the Voting.

The democratic city central committee held its regular meeting last night. The preparations for the preliminaries for the city nominating convention were discussed but no date for holding it was determined upon. The following resolutions, presented by H. C. Berghoff, giving the rules for conducting the primaries, were adopted:

WHEREAS, It is the desire of this committee, that every democrat of this city, at the next election of delegates to the city convention, shall have an opportunity to fully and freely express his choice for the different candidates seeking the nomination, it is hereby resolved that the following rules shall be adopted to govern at such election, to wit:

First. All votes for delegates shall be cast within the new ward boundaries as recently adopted by the city council.

Second. None but democrats shall be permitted to vote for delegates or councilmen. Challengers shall be appointed for each poll to see that this rule is strictly enforced.

Third. Not less than two voting precincts shall be established in each ward.

Fourth. No candidate or delegate shall serve in any capacity on the election board at the time of delegate elections.

Fifth. All records, tally sheets and ballots shall be delivered to and be preserved by the chairman of the city central committee until after the regular election in May.

Sixth. The ballots to be submitted to the voter shall be furnished to the inspector of each poll by the chairman of this committee, and the same shall be given by such inspector to the voter when entering the voting place. None but sample ballots shall be allowed outside, and such ballots must be of different color than the regular ballot.

Seventh. Each candidate for office shall have the right to furnish to this committee, at a time to be hereafter designated, the names of such delegates he desires to place in nomination in the different wards, and when this has been done, the names of such delegates shall be placed upon the ward ticket beneath the full name of the candidate for whom they are selected.

Eighth. The ticket shall be so arranged as to read:

FOR MAYOR. L. F. Smith. DELEGATES.	FOR CLERK. F. Jones. DELEGATES.
1	1 .....
2	2 .....
3	3 .....
4	4 .....

Ninth. Each democrat shall have the right to vote as follows:

He may express his choice by stamping the squares in front of the names of as many delegates as are allowed to his ward, and no more, but not stamp the names of the candidate, and such votes shall be counted for such delegate voted for.

All tickets having more names stamped than the number of delegates allowed to each ward, shall be rejected and declared void.

Tenth. Any delegate receiving more than one vote upon any one ticket shall be counted as having received but one vote—all delegates must be selected from the ward in which they reside.

Eleventh. Every delegate elected for any candidate shall be in honor bound to cast his first ballot in the nominating convention, for such candidate as he has been directed to do by the voter, but after the first ballot all delegates shall be at liberty to vote for whom they deem best.

Twelfth. Nominations for councilmen-at large and such candidates as are not represented by delegates upon the regular ticket, shall be made by all delegates in convention.

Thirteenth. Nominations for the councilmen of the different wards shall be made in the following manner:

First. Each candidate for councilman shall present his name to the city central committee at a meeting to be held for that purpose, and all names so presented shall be placed upon the regular ward tickets.

Second. The voter to express his choice shall stamp the square in front of the name of such candidate as he wishes to vote for, and every vote so cast shall be counted as directed. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared the nominee.

Fourteenth. No carriages or conveyances shall be furnished by this committee to any voting precinct, and every democrat is earnestly requested to vote at this important election.

Rev. Tatlock Dead.

STAMFORD, Conn., March 3.—Rev. Tatlock, D. D., secretary of the house of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church of America, is dead.

Half rates via the Nickel Plate railroad March 10th, to points in the southwest. M. C. BAKER
2-7 District Passenger Agent,
No. 100 Fort Wayne, Ind.

Miss Minnie Wilkinson, of Montpelier, is in the city for a short visit.

ANOTHER CHAPTER

In the Doings of E. W. Quackenbush, Insurance Agent.

How R. B. Nichol Was Worked—The Outfit Went From Here to Philadelphia.

So far as known nothing has been heard of E. W. Quackenbush, the erstwhile agent for the erstwhile U. B. Mutual Aid association. THE SENTINEL a few days ago detailed his shipping the town, leaving many creditors to wonder where he was "at." Quackenbush's wife went with him, of course, and so did Mr. Doyle, the clerical looking man who was in the office with them and who seemed to be a full partner in the firm.

Last summer R. B. Nichol, who was an experienced insurance agent out of a job, took a position with Quackenbush as solicitor. Nichol was a married man. He and his wife lived in this city. The arrangement between him and Quackenbush was that Nichol was to receive 55 per cent. of the income for the first year from all policies written by him. A part of this was to be paid to Nichol from the first premium money collected from the policy holder and the rest was to come from the other payments during the year.

This arrangement went along all right for some time. Nichol wrote considerable business, thinking the company sound. He received his first installment of pay for his services, but about the time the other portions of it were due him the company failed and went into the hands of a receiver. Nichol could not get another cent and he was left penniless. Then Quackenbush skipped without offering any relief and Nichol was left in a bad shape.

It seems that Mrs. Nichol suspected that Quackenbush had a scheme in view and she watched him closely. Not long ago all the carpets in the insurance office were taken up, presumably to be cleaned, but Mrs. Nichol found that they had been packed ready for shipment. Last Thursday she heard that the entire outfit intended to skip. In the evening she and her husband went to the Pittsburg depot and just as the limited was pulling out for the east they saw Quackenbush and his wife and Doyle on board the train. This, coupled with the fact that the furniture and goods belonging to the trio were shipped to Philadelphia in the name of Doyle, would indicate that they went to that city.

It is not likely that any of the crowd will ever return to Fort Wayne, because there are too many people here who are anxious for them to call and settle.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Receipts, hogs, 12,000; left over 1,600. Estimated receipts of hogs tomorrow, 23,000. Market active and generally 10c higher. Light, $3 85@4 10; mixed, $3 85@4 07½; heavy, $3 75@4 05; rough, $3.75@3.80.

Cattle, 3 000; best grades 5@10c higher; others firm. Beeves, $3 20@4.55; cows and heifers, $1.60@3 80; Texans, $2 80@3.90; stockers and feeders, $2 80@3.75.

Sheep, receipts 10,000; market steady.

Hogs, official receipts yesterday, 25,920; shipments, 8,368. Sheep, 17,962; shipments, 1,992. Cattle, 13,954; shipments, 4 895.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Opening prices for wheat today were at a fractional advance, May opening at 67⅜@⅝c. Cables were considered rather favorable to holders and northwestern receipts showed a decided falling off. But only a small scalping trade was doing and a declining tendency was manifested, the prices easing off gradually to 67c.

Corn was quiet and rather weak on the cold continued heavy local receipts. May opened a shade lower at 30⅝c and declined to 30⅜c.

Oats was very dull and fluctuated but seldom. May opened fractionally lower at 21⅛@⅛c and held at about that figure.

Provisions were again strong on the small hog receipts and showed advances

May Pork opened 10c higher at $9 90, easing off to $9 87½.

May lard was quoted 2½c higher at $5 50

May ribs, 5c higher at $5 22½.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Wheat—March, 65c; May, 66⅜@⅝c; June, 66⅝c; July, 66⅝@67.

Corn—March, 28⅝c; May, 30⅝c; July, 31⅛@⅛c; Sept., 32⅝c.

Oats—March, 19⅝c; May, 21@⅛c asked; July, 21⅛@⅛c asked.

Pork—March, $9 70; May, $9.85@87½; July, $10.00 asked

Lard—March, $5 37½; May, $5.52½; July, $5 65

Ribs—March, $5.07½; May, $5.22½@25; July, $5 32½

Society Organized.

A literary society has been organized by the members of the W. G. F. L. U., No. 6 121. Last evening Misses Alice Fitzgerald and Theresa Dierkes were initiated, after which the following program was carried out:

Vocal selection.....
.....Misses Eva, Ethel and Rose Racquet
Select reading, Longfellow's poems.....
.....Miss Minnie Phelps
Piano selection.....
Misses Theresa Dierkes and Amelia Zimmerman.

The next meeting will be held the 16th inst, at their hall.

Wife Under Arrest.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., March 3.—Mrs. Joseph Lentincum has been placed under arrest charged with murdering her husband last night. The man's last words were an accusation against the woman, who, he said, had cut his throat. Arthur Withers, her brother, is also under arrest as an accessory to the crime. The couple had quarreled frequently.

THE COURTS.

Percy Everett Given One Year in the Penitentiary.

Mary Beyerlien Asks for a Divorce From Fred Beyerlien—News in the Courts.

The case of the state against Charles Siebert is set for trial in the circuit court next Monday.

The circuit court jury acquitted Edward Moran of the charge of stealing an overcoat from the Saengerbund hall.

Benedict Krock has been declared insane and will be sent to the asylum at Richmond.

William N. Laduke and Mrs. Mary Driebelbiss have been licensed to wed.

Percy Everett was found guilty of petit larceny and sent to the penitentiary for one year. He had raised small amounts of money in various crooked ways.

The cases against Leonard McCrory and Ben Mohr, for petit larceny at Leo, were dismissed in the superior court. The cases grew out of a frolic in which the boys were engaged.

Mary Beyerlien has began suit in the superior court for a divorce from Fred Beyerlien. She also asks for custody of child. P. B Colerick is her attorney. Beyerlien, it will be remembered, was sentenced to the penetentiary for forgery.

Alex Butler, a produce buyer on the streets, got into a dispute with a farmer named Julius Young. The farmer filed an affidavit against him for provoke before Justice Bullerman. A fine of $1 and costs was imposed and he paid.

The twenty-seven suits which were brought against the Olds Wagon works by employes, demanding back wages, have been settled, the company confessing judgment in each case. Attorneys W. C. Ryan and M. H. Bohen represented the plaintiffs. The judgments as separately rendered are: Charles Ross, $35 40; Owen Schoonover, $21.85; W. Wilder, $10 50; W. C. Ewing, $37.35; H. W. Chapin, $26 23; G. W. Reutechler, $26 45; John Norwald, $36 50; Jos. Barge, $42.75; Fred K. Dorcey, $43; Jules Cattez, $38 12; James Taylor, $45 15; Jno. Linton, $35 20; Harry E. Austin, $51.05; Clarence E. Austin, $30; Frank Castle, $31; Joseph Deppler, $56 26; Thomas Lloyd, $20 50; Fred K. Johnson, $22 50; Phillip Perry, $14 50; James Smith, $17 57; Allen Sinclair, $46 23; John Fealters, $12; Gus Snyder, $6 48; Mike Curran, $1 70.

PATCHED UP.

Republican Candidates for Nation Delegate

Must Furnish Their Own Tickets, All Alike—No Australian Ballot at the Primary Election.

The row among the republican candidates for the position of delegate to the national convention, as told in THE SENTINEL yesterday, has apparently been patched up.

The city central committee held a meeting yesterday afternoon but Chairman Everett and some of the candidates were not present, therefore it was decided to hold another meeting this forenoon. This was for the purpose of making some kind of an arrangement about the primary election that would be satisfactory, and to settle the controversy that had sprung from the protest filed by C. D. Law against the Australian ballot system.

At the meeting this forenoon C. D. Law and Frank Alderman, both candidates, were present in person. B. W. Skelton was represented by C. B. Fitch and R. T. McDonald had Billy Wilson and Kelly McCracken there in his interest. Phil Dickinion was not present.

The committee wrestled with the knotty problem of how to fix the thing so as to satisfy everybody and they finally came to a decision.

The election will not be held under the Australian system. Each candidate will furnish his own tickets, but they must all be of a uniform size, three inches by five inches, and must all be printed on white paper.

The plan was thoroughly discussed and after all had had their say, the candidates agreed to the arrangements and the meeting adjourned.

Phil Dickinson is no longer a candidate for national delegate. If Harrison had remained in the field as a candidate for president he would have entered the race for delegate, but Harrison's withdrawal caused Dickinson to stay out.

The candidates this morning all received a letter from the secretary of the city republican central committee stating that if they wanted their names on the tickets at the primary election they should please at once send in $20 apiece entrance fee.

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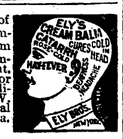

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1896.

TONIGHT.

CIRCUIT COURT ROOMS—A Mass meeting in the interest of Ireland's Liberty and Independence.
MASONIC TEMPLE—Colton & Ryno's production, "Lost in New York."
EMPIRE THEATER—The Frost & Anshawe Company in Plays at Popular Prices.
STONEMASONS' UNION NO. 7—Regular meeting.
ALLEN COUNTY LICENSED LIQUOR DEALERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION — Regular monthly meeting.
BUTCHERS' ASSOCIATION—Regular Monthly meeting.
COLUMBIAN READING CIRCLE—Regular meeting at Sons of Columbus Hall.
AMERICAN PROTECTIVE ASSOCITION—Regular meeting in Harmony Hall.
FORT WAYNE CYCLING CLUB—Monthly meeting
FORT WAYNE SAENGERBUND—Monthly meeting.
Q. AND O. CLUB—Regular Meeting.
ST. JULIAN COUNCIL, NO. 87, C. B. L.—Regular meeting at Library hall.
LODGES—Home lodge, No. 342, F. & A. M.; Fort Wayne Grand Lodge of Perfection, A. and A. S. R.; Summit City lodge No 2, D. of H.; Fort Wayne lodge No 11, D of H.; Elks' lodge; Col. E S. Walker camp, No. 159 S. of V.; Canton Fort Wayne, No. 17, Patriarchs Militant; Fort Wayne lodge No. 116, K. of P.; Deborah lodge, No. 110 D. of R.; Indianola Lodge No. 311, Order of the World.

SPAIN was wise in making an apology for the Barcelona outrage. In case of war between the two nations, Spain would be a "before breakfast" job for the United States.

E. H. MCDONALD, Dr. A. J. Boswell and E. V. Emrick will address the Loyal Hall democracy tomorrow night The meeting will be an open one and all the democrats in the city are invited to attend.

THERE will be no special session of the state legislature for the purpose of enacting a new legislative apportionment law. Governor Matthews has settled that, and settled it rightly too, by his answer to the memorial presented by the sub-committee of the republican state committee.

The Spanish Demonstrations.

The anti American demonstrations at Madrid and Barcelona will not hurt the United States. They certainly will not drive this country from its attitude with regard to Cuba, and Spain has done a wise thing in promptly apologizing to this country for the riotous conduct on the part of some of her citizens towards the American consulate.

We must expect, of course, that the Spaniards will be displeased at our sympathy with the Cubans, but if they insist upon giving it a hostile construction, that will not be our fault. And if they allow themselves to provoke resentment, they may succeed in giving this country occasion for something more than an expression of sympathy.

There are certain traditional sentiments of friendship or of animosity toward various European nations that are quite universal among Americans, but we do not know that we have any particular feeling about Spain, except where Cuba is concerned. Two or three years ago we were exchanging official compliments, and we have done our best to perform all international duties toward Spain, even in the face of our sympathies, but we have never professed any warmth of affection, nor have we ever manifested any hostility. So far as Spain alone is concerned our attitude has been one of indifference.

There can be no just complaint made by Spain against this government for extending to the Cuban revolutionists the rights of belligerents. It is not an act of war; it does not in any degree impair the obligations of the neutrality laws which are accepted by the civilized nations of the world. It is a movement in the interest of humanity, and it is also a movement to extend something like equal rights to Spain and the Cubans. An insurgent army that started upon one end of the island, marched its whole length, amounting to 700 miles, and that today occupies nearly or quite every province of Cuba cannot be treated by the civilized world as a mere rebellion. It is a revolution. The Cuban people are involved in it, and not a fraction of them. It is Cuba against its oppresser, and the least that this government can do is to extend equal rights to both the contending parties as far as possible.

Ever since the war in Cuba, Spain could come into our markets, purchase arms, ammunition, supplies, anything and everything, in open market and in open day, without question by our government; but if the struggling Cubans seek to ship arms or ammunition to their patriotic brethren, they are watched by Cuban spies, arrested by American marshals, tried in the United States courts and convicted because the law demands it. With belligerent rights accorded to them they would have equal opportunities to obtain supplies in our markets, and that they are entitled to. If they can thus maintain their independence, we should not deprive them of the opportunity. Every consideration of justice and of humanity demands that belligerent rights should be promptly extended to the Cubans.

We have said that such action by our government could not be regarded as a cause for war on the part of Spain, but if Spain shall decide that it is an affront that calls for war, let war come. The responsibility would be wholly upon Spain and not upon the United States, and the end would be swift and inevitable. Spain would not only be defeated on land and water, but Cuba would be independent within thirty days after Spain declared war, and not only independent, but forever beyond the reach of the grasp of the now tottering monarchy that has ever made Cuba a conspicuous monument of despotism, robbery, murder and desolation.

LIGHT OUT OF DARKNESS

By Mrs. HENRY WARD BEECHER.

"When they next thought of poor Le Barron, he was just as I found him. In the meantime I had opened the shutters and extinguished the gas, but the sunlight made the horrors more apparent. Leaving the frantic woman to the servants, I examined her husband, but could find no trace of violence save a bruise on his brow by some article thrown—made, I fear, by his wife when the servants seized her. But Dr. Shelby, whom Austin soon brought, says it was probably not severe enough to have caused his death. Dr. Shelby has been his medical adviser for some months past, and he thinks his anxiety, exaggerated by the fearful storm that burst upon him when he told his pecuniary troubles, hastened his death from disease of the heart.

"Austin remained to make all needful arrangements for the inquest, and as soon as I could be spared I hastened to you, for I think you and Mrs. Newton are greatly needed there now."

"We will go with you immediately."

"Can I be of service in any way?" asked George.

"I will thank you to order me one of the carriages. I did not intend to use either of them again, but this is a work of necessity."

"One word before we leave. I found the two youngest children, Jennie and Robert, hid in the parlors, half dead with fright. Their nurse is not to be found. Hearing the noise, I presume, they had crept down from the nursery and probably fearing to return have been concealed there all night. Jennie, you know, is a sweet, thoughtful child—very unlike her sisters. Robbie, Dr. Shelby says, has never been very bright or robust."

"I suppose," said Grenville, with much confusion, "you will hardly be willing to give me a share in providing for your proteges?"

How unlike this hesitation to Jasper's natural impulsive generosity! What could it mean unless the knowledge on his part that his interest and labor might soon be so separated from his northern friends that he would be unable to share their generous cares?

"In his chair, his head resting on the marble pillar, was Le Barron."

The shadows of vexation and sorrow—almost doubt—again crossed Rose's brow. As Eustace's dark eye sought her lover's for a moment it had in its calm dignity a meaning she could not fathom, and her heart beat wildly when she saw Jasper's quail before it. What fear restrained her natural impetuosity from demanding a solution at once?

In reply to Jasper's question Eustace simply shook his head, but her father partly reassured her by the calm and apparently unsuspicious manner in which he answered:

"We will settle all details when we return. Now we must attend to the more pressing wants."

In the course of the ride Mrs. Newton asked Eustace how Maud appeared when taken to her parents and compelled to witness all the horrors of that scene.

"Oh, my dear madam! Your question reminds me that I have not given the miserable girl a thought since I entered that room! The sight that met my eyes at first bewildered me, and when I could rouse above it my whole attention was so engrossed by immediate necessities that—well, excuses are useless. It was cruel negligence."

"No, Eustace, you blame yourself needlessly. It was a most natural oversight. She was requiring no attention, and unless in sight and taking some part I do not wonder you did not think of her."

"She was not in the room, I am sure, for I have no recollection of seeing or hearing her again after one glimpse of that terrible scene. I now remember the remark she made about keeping her own counsels as closely as her sister had done, to which I then attached little importance, but which now I fear may have been painfully significant."

When they reached the house, they were met by Dr. Shelby and Mr. Austin and informed that they were ready for an inquest, waiting only for Dunbar's evidence, and then would be ready to remove the body to another apartment to be prepared for the grave.

After a long and earnest consultation with reference to Mrs. Le Barron the doctor suggested that the wisest plan would be to remove her to some quiet retreat or asylum as soon as possible.

Inquiries were then made for Maud. Neither the doctor nor Austin had seen her, and such had been the excitement and confusion her absence was unnoticed.

On asking for the young lady one of the servants said she thought she had not returned.

"Returned?" said Mr. Newton.

"Yes, sir. I guess she was sort of frightened as soon as she saw her father, and she noticed him before Mr. Dunbar did. Miss Maud never thought much of her mother, nor of her father, either, for that matter, only she could always have her way with him, poor man! And without speaking she slipped right out of the room and out of the house too."

"Do you know where she went?"

"No, mum, not sure; but Thomas here thinks he drove her out to old Varney's."

"Thinks he did? Why, Thomas, don't you know whom you took there?"

"Why, sir, my young lady came to me from master's room all whitelike and called me out of doors, then told me to put one of the horses into the gig that the servants use and drive her maid out to Elmwood, old Varney's place, to do an errand. Before I could come round with the gig a woman met me at the back gate all muffled up and acting as though she was afraid of being seen. She spoke low and strange and said her mistress wanted me to take her on an errand. But, your honor, Miss Maud's maid don't wear diamonds and is uncommon willing to talk with an honest lad and to show her face too."

"Well, Thomas, your young mistress has sorrow and trouble enough and may well feel the need of advice."

"Yes, your honor, but young ladies ain't generally willing to seek advice from an old lover to whom they have often said 'nay,'" replied the cook.

Wishing to stop further revelations of the family secrets, Mr. Newton inquired:

"Where is Miss Le Barron's maid?"

"Miss Maud's, do you mean, sir? Oh, she put off some time ago, and for certain much more went out with her than she ever brought here."

"Well, we will seek Miss Maud in her own apartment." And as they turned from the gossip loving servants they heard the cook remark:

"Well, well, they'll have a breezy time of it. Glad it isn't me."

It was very evident that the servants who had remained with Mrs. Le Barron through the night had not learned of Estella's marriage, pillage and flight.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton ascended to Maud's apartments. All was silent, but after a few moments' pause they knocked at the door. She was there and bade them enter, but when her father's best friends stood before her she started in alarm and made a movement for a hasty retreat. But suddenly checking herself, before Mrs. Newton could speak, she turned on them with the wildest fury depicted on her face and almost shrieked:

"Why are you here? I will not hear a word. Leave my room instantly. You come to exult over our fall. I can still, for a few hours at least, claim a right to my own chamber. I bid you begone!"

"But my dear child," said Mrs. Newton, "listen to me a moment. We come in all love. Do trust us. We lose all as well as you. Then why should you imagine we mean anything but friendship and tenderest sympathy?"

"I do not believe you—do not trust you and will not. Who told you we needed any sympathy? I for one have no desire for it."

"Mr. Dunbar came at Dr. Shelby's request to bring us here, and, my dear Maud, let us in some way comfort you."

"I tell you I want no comfort from you or any one. Dunbar has, I presume, told you how finely Stell has managed. I think I am as well able to act for myself as she."

"Oh, Maud! Maud! Do no such rash thing as she has done, I entreat you. It will bring you only disgrace and misery."

"Oh, never fear. I have no fancy for elopements. What I do I care not who knows. It is too late for any to prevent it now anyway. The last trunk went from that room," pointing to a closed door, "since you have honored me with your espionage.

"Allow me," with a scornful, defiant air, even while a shudder of disgust passed over her, "allow me to introduce you to Mrs. Jacob Varney, a millionaire's wife, madam! Not quite so winsome a husband as Stella's, perhaps, but I shall have all that money can give. So what matter's it?"

"Ah, Maud, my dear child! What have you done? How could Varney countenance such an act under the circumstances?"

"What have I done? Why, found myself a princely home when my father's folly or crime—call it what you please—has cast me out from this. What has Varney done? Why, proved himself a fool! Has he not for more than a year tormented me? And I during that time treated him with open, undisguised contempt. And yet when I went to him yesterday and told him boldly we were bankrupted and disgraced; that Stella, the vile creature, had robbed me of all I had—oh, it makes me laugh to think how the toothless old dotard blubbered over my hand!"—and with a gesture of bitter loathing she tossed her hand away from her—"promising me a trousseau next week that should outvie any in the city, together with a princely settlement, if I would consent to marry him that very hour. Why, an immediate marriage was just what I was determined on! And it is done," said the miserable girl, throwing herself on the sofa, exhausted by the shameful recital.

Mrs. Newton went to her caressingly, while her tears fell fast.

"Oh, Maud! You do not love this man! How, then, can you endure the home you have sold yourself for?"

"Love him! Oh, no! I have ever loathed him. I had once some romantic notions about marrying for love and escaping from such a home as this has always been.

"But that is all past! When once I get my promised trousseau and settlement, I shall allow myself to be very little troubled with old Varney's society, I assure you. That would be intolerable. I have lived thus far without love and can continue to do so, while I now have a position in the most fashionable society as high as wealth can command. Why do you weep and look at me so sadly? What would you have me do?" she cried wildly. "Go out to service? Starve in the streets—or worse? My mother's folly and my father's shame have barred all other chances for a home but the one I have chosen or rather accepted as a last resort."

"Oh, no! no! my poor girl! A loving heart was at your command, and you scorned it, threw it aside for the golden chain that now binds you and which will eat like a canker into your soul."

"No. I never scorned Ernest Sherwood, never! My whole heart was his. But how was he received? Turned from the door by harsh words from my mother and bitter insults from my father, while I was jeered at daily for my low tastes and Estella's foreigner held up before me as a god."

"But, my dear Maud, when you saw the state of your father's affairs, if you must so hastily seek a home, why not let Ernest know your troubles?"

She started quickly to her feet. "Let him know the deep disgrace that had fallen? The loss of property he would not value, but the shame! Tell Ernest Sherwood that my father was a dishonored man—a forger—liable any moment to public arrest? Do you think I could do that, or do you know me so little as to suppose I would shame my womanhood by offering myself to one I respected—that I loved? If you but knew me, you would not wonder that I hate the parents that have robbed me of all that I ever valued! I leave within the hour, and once outside the gate I will never see them again—never!"

From these passionate words her friends suspected she had no knowledge of the terrible state of things below. A few words revealed the fact that she simply supposed her mother was in one of those stormy fits she had often witnessed and her father, as usual, allowing the excitement to wear itself out by silence, though she acknowledged that she was frightened by his appearance. When she fully understood the truth, she was at first greatly shocked, but her own selfishness soon rose above all other considerations.

"If I had but known this sooner! Oh, Ernest! Ernest! But it is all too late!"

It is useless to prolong the scene. The unhappy girl resisted all efforts to persuade her to show at least common respect and tarry till her father's body should be laid to rest and her mother placed in some asylum, and when from the window she saw a superb equipage dash up to the door she abruptly said "farewell," and with a face in which all of her ill governed passions were warring with a better and tenderer mood she rushed down stairs, and without accepting the aid of her unfortunate and superannuated husband she sprang into the carriage, and with the partner of her folly was soon borne from their sight.

That same afternoon Mrs. Le Barron was quietly taken to the retreat selected and the next day her husband's remains, in the simplest and most unostentatious manner, consigned to the grave.

Duncan remained till the servants were dismissed on the following week, the house safely closed and the key placed in the hands of those who were appointed to unravel the tangled web of the late owner's dealings.

So closed the tragedy that would be a lifelong misery to some, but to the outside world it was but a "nine days' wonder," and other events soon swept it from the public mind, and it was forgotten.

CHAPTER IX.

The evening after Le Barron's funeral all the Newtons met in the home so soon to pass from their hands. Mr. Newton there informed his friends that he had, as much as lay in his power, endeavored to hasten the final settlement of all matters connected with his late business. He had met all who had claims upon the firm and brought the whole matter much nearer a thorough adjustment than at first he had any reason to anticipate. He spoke with great feeling of the respect and kindness manifested toward him personally by all concerned and their voluntary request that he should appropriate all the personal property about the house and grounds to his own use, and they expressed their conviction that even more than that would be found honorably his due.

Of course Le Barron's funeral had prevented the ride to the Montgomery place, but now, finding there was every promise of turning his attention to some new work, Mr. Newton desired that Eustace's proposition should have immediate attention. It was therefore agreed that early the next morning Eustace should escort Mrs. Newton to the farm and on their return the feasibility of the project should be finally settled.

Rose proposed that she should accompany them and have one more ride on Fairy before she passed from their hands, and turning sweetly to her lover asked if she might trespass on his gallantry for an escort. He excused himself on the plea of prior engagements and expressed great regret that he could not enjoy such a treat. All this was natural enough, and Rose was satisfied, for her eyes were not yet opened. But the quick flash that overspread his face and died away as rapidly rekindled Mr. Newton's sorrowful suspicions, and the earnest recognition that passed between Dunbar and George told him that Jasper's manner had but confirmed their opinions.

It was painful to wait longer for a positive denial or unmistakable admission of his treasonable proclivities. But who could look on that sweet girl by his side and have the courage to hasten a denouement that might blast the bright beauty before them? These thoughts passed with painful rapidity through Mr. Newton's mind, and he had just mastered the indignant impulse as Ralph gayly offered to act as his sister's cavalier in place of her recreant knight and suggested that it might be well to smuggle Alfred into the carriage with the other party, and then, should first impressions prove encouraging, George and himself could remain to await orders and Alfred escort Rose home again.

But his parents were advocates of consistency under all circumstances, and whatever they advocated they exemplified by their daily practice. Mr. Newton agreed that such a cavalcade as Ralph had planned was hardly in good taste under existing circumstances. He should much prefer that Dunbar should accompany the ladies in the most unpretending manner, leaving the others industriously employed in making an inventory of all in the house and grounds.

A ready assent was given to this suggestion, Ralph remarking that father would be obliged to exercise the gift of patience before he could get them into a good working condition, for they would, he feared, be every little while "bolting from the track" after some fancy frolic instead of working like little busy bees, and a strong arm, tight rein and curb bit would be absolutely necessary to keep them on the right side of the traces.

"Well, Ralph, my son, that is an odd mixture of quotation and metaphor, but I must say it smacks a little too much of the jockey."

"Our good parents are growing a little obtuse, I think. I've been trying all the evening to make you comprehend. Having taken possession of the groom's apartments, I am happy to find myself not so far above my position but that my vocation is recognized," said Ralph, laughing merrily.

"What does the silly boy mean?" said his mother.

"Simply," replied George, "that while you and father were occupied at Roseville yesterday we at home were anxious to make ourselves serviceable. I hope you will not think we are undertaking too great liberties. You know we must no longer keep a retinue of servants, and the sooner all changes are made, I judge from what you have already said, the better. Hearing of good places for the coachman and one of the grooms, we secured them and sent the men at once. Ralph and I meanwhile prefer, if it meets your approbation, to retain the head hostler, John, for a few days to teach us our duties, and we will do the work at the carriage house and stable till the contents are disposed of."

"Look at father," said Ralph, laughing. "If he isn't grieving that his proud sons should stoop to care for the horses."

"There you are wrong, dear boy. I was overcome for a moment with gratitude to God, who has blessed me with children so ready to accept not only uncomplainingly but with great cheerfulness and alacrity a change sudden as ours must be, and with no false shame step in a moment from a life of ease to one of the lowest forms of menial labor."

"Now, father, your explanation is really quite cruel. I had a little speech all ready—thinking you were shocked at our labors of today—to show you how inconsistent were your precepts. I am greatly disappointed, for as I am to be a farmer I shall not have many opportunities for speechmaking. But we can't catch father napping, can we, mother?" playfully patting her cheek.

"Well, saucy one, tell us what other mischief you and George have been about today?"

"Well, we thought you would not like any of the servants to leave unpaid. Fortunately we have always been liberally supplied with pocket money, and we three boys had more than enough to make all right with the men and help Lillian settle with those two utterly useless appendages, the young ladies' waiting maids."

"Why, my dear girls, have you dismissed your attendants? You shame your mother! Our children are teaching us. I never once thought of this, as I ought to have done at the very first."

"No, mother mine. Because you and father have been occupied all day in trying to minister to the unfortunate and wayward, and knowing father wished to curtail expenses as expeditiously as possible we could do no less than to begin at these points belonging to our individual expenses."

In the course of the conversation Ralph took occasion to hold up Rose's hand and call attention to a blister, saying she had been sweeping and dusting the library herself.

"Never mind the hand," his sister said, laughing. "That will soon become accustomed to such work, but I am sure mamma will say I have done my work well."

Jasper here impatiently interrupted her by looking at her hand and protesting with much temper against anything of the kind again.

"Come, come, Jasper, don't you be unreasonable. That little blister is of no consequence. I really enjoyed my play, for as yet it has been nothing more. But what would you have me do, Sir Impatience? Sit on the sofa and let my mother and sister do what must now be done—work? You dare not counsel that!"

"No, dear Rose. But, Mr. Newton, my kind friend, let me beg that you will yield to my wishes. Let me make Rose my wife before you leave this her first home."

"Jasper!" exclaimed Rose. "How dare you name such a thing after those two shameful examples of hasty marriages to avoid the inconveniences of a limited income which we have just witnessed? Would you see me as heartless as the Le Barrons?"

"That does not follow, Rose. The aid you could render would be but little comparatively, and I cannot see you stoop to labor when a home of ease and affluence is waiting for you."

"Stoop! Whatever my mother and sister can do without degradation will not lower me in the estimation of any right minded person. Eustace has no fears of Lillian being degraded, and he can also offer her a home of ease, but he knows that for the present her first duties keep her with her parents. If your pride revolts at my using a broom or engaging in any of the domestic avocations that fall to my mother's lot, then should I in time share your fortune your foolish pride will be just as much wounded to know all of us continued to labor, as we most probably will."

"Oh, no, never, Rose! You do me injustice. It is but natural, loving you as I do, that I should long to protect you from all hardships. Your friends, though not disgraced by labor, would never have sought it as an advisable change. Consent to an immediate marriage, darling. If you will but yield to this request, I know that your father will not refuse. Let me take you to my mother, show you our beautiful home, and when your parents are settled we will visit them before I install you mistress of the little cottage now building for you."

Her parents, George and Dunbar, all listened without interruption and with beating hearts, for they felt that the crisis was not far distant, and Rose's unnatural pallor indicated a strife in her own mind beyond and distinct from that natural to her lover's petition. The silence was but for a moment, and then, though her cheek was deadly pale, her voice was firm and clear, but its birdlike tones were wanting.

"Jasper, let this subject rest for the present. You know well, if you will do me justice, that I do not thwart your wishes from any foolish coyness. We are both young, and our youth was the reason why my parents and your own wish our union deferred two years, and we recognized the wisdom of their united judgment. Six months only of that time have passed, and instead of my father's losses changing the plan first adopted my respect and filial affection make it now an imperative duty. I should despise myself, and so would you in a short time, if I yielded to your present impulses to avoid what you call hardship, but which I name pleasure.

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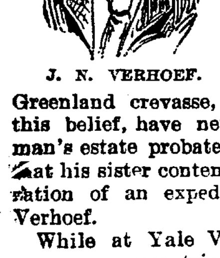
FAITH IN VERHOEF.

His Yale Classmates Think He May Have Climbed the Pole.

Some of his classmates and intimate friends at New Haven are inclined to think that if the north pole has been reached by any one John N. Verhoef, the missing member of Lieutenant Peary's first expedition, is just the sort of man to accomplish that feat. Verhoef's relatives have always declined to believe that he was lost in a Greenland crevasse, and, acting under this belief, have never had the young man's estate probated. It is even said that his sister contemplates the organization of an expedition to search for Verhoef.



J. N. VERHOEF.

While at Yale Verhoef was looked upon as an eccentric and unique character. Some profess to believe that he joined Peary's party with the express idea of abandoning it and setting out on his own account to make "the farthest north."

It is said that he frequently stated aboard Peary's vessel that he could live as the Eskimos do—on blubber—and some believe he left the party with the determination to make this experiment.

Lieutenant Peary has believed from the first that Verhoef lost his life in a crevasse.—New York Recorder.

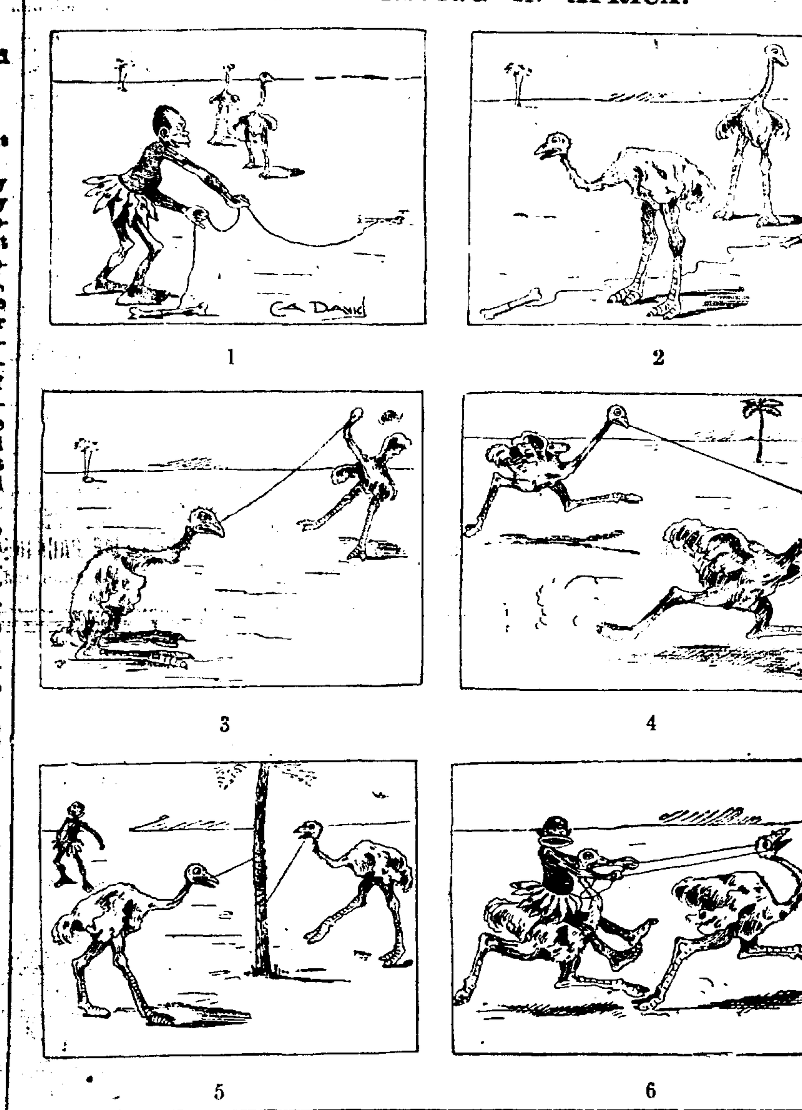
To Glorify Monroe.

On the evening preceding the Michigan Democratic state central convention, to be held on April 29, there will be a monster mass meeting to commemorate the birthday of President Monroe, in which some Democrats of national prominence will be asked to participate.

A Turkish Fit.

The sultan's punishment may eventually fit his crime, but it will probably be a baggy, Turkish fit.—Detroit Tribune.

TANDEM DRIVING IN AFRICA.



SHOP AND RAIL.

The Bass Blacksmith Shop Increases Its Force.

Brakeman McCarthy Loses a Thumb on His First Trip Out—Personal and Local Gossip.

Nickel Plate Fireman John Ranks is off duty on account of sickness.

Fireman Joe Hartman, of the Nickel Plate, is taking a short vacation.

L. F. Loree, general manager, is putting in ten days in inspecting the Panhandle system.

The Hon. C. B. Stuart, of Lafayette, chief counsel for the Wabash, was in the city yesterday.

A. D. Cressler has returned from New York, where he closed some large contracts for the Kerr Murray works.

W. C. Norton, telegraph operator, has gone to South Whitley to take charge of the Nickel Plate telegraph office.

The Pulman company is building seven of its most modern sleeping cars for service on the Chicago and Rock Island.

General Manager Turner, of the Vandalia, has begun a retrenchment move by abolishing a number of telegraph offices.

The Erie people are making arrangements to lay a second track on the main line from Hornellsville to Salamance.

C. B. Van Meter has recovered from an illness which kept him from his train duties two weeks. He is a Nickel Plate brakeman.

Nickel Plate Conductor Beidler, who was rusticating ten days, came in from the country yesterday, and resumed charge of his train.

J. P. Seibold and William Bensman, boilermakers, have gone to Toledo, Ohio, to put in new flues in the stationary boiler in the Wabash car shops.

F. P. Fox, for years past traveling passenger agent of the Lackawanna, is to be appointed land and tax agent of the company for the Buffalo division.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton and the Monon, in February, sold the largest number of mileage books of any month in the history of either line.

The directors of the Pennsylvania have decided to issue their monthly report on the 28th of each month, instead of earlier, that the statements may be more complete.

Ernest Dooling, night car inspector for the Nickel Plate, is suffering with a severe attack of tonsilitis and is off duty. Fred Bearbaum, of the day force, has taken Mr. Dooling's place.

First Vice President McCrea and General Passenger Agent Ford, of the Pennsylvania company, on Saturday returned from New York, where they had been attending meetings for several days.

Mrs. W. A. Maddux, who was so severely injured by a fall two months ago, is now sitting up a short time each day and is gaining strength rapidly. Mr. Maddux is the Nickel Plate's wreck foreman.

D. F. McCarthy, a Nickel Plate brakeman, had the end of his right thumb pinched off at Dunfee, Saturday night. It was Mr. McCarthy's first trip out, he having just entered the service of the company.

Charles F. Henry, an axle maker, late of Akron, Ohio, has taken a position at the Bass blacksmith shop and will have charge of the large steam car axle hammer and crew at nights. For some time the hammer was in operation only during the daytime, but business is so brisk that it has become necessary to double the force and keep the machinery in operation twenty out of the twenty-four hours.

R. Ormiston, Gus Weise and James Blake have taken positions in the Bass blacksmith shop.

W. H. Cherry, the well known Pittsburg boiler maker, has recovered from his recent illness.

E. B. Moore and C. Schneider, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are off duty on account of sickness.

John Klingenberger, of Force street, is the papa of a pretty girl baby. He is a Pittsburg shopman.

H. Weist, of the Bass blacksmith shop, is still quite sick. He has been bedfast for over two weeks.

Division No. 18, ladies' auxiliary to the B. of L. E., will meet tomorrow evening for the election of officers.

C. Hoepner, who had a foot hurt two weeks ago, resumed his work in the Pittsburg lumber yards this morning.

G. M. Johnson, of the Pittsburg copper shop, went to Anderson, Ind., today to institute a lodge of the Golden Eagle.

During the past year there were turned out in this country 1,268,081 tons of steel rails, against 904,020 tons in 1894.

John Michaelson is moving his family and household goods from Knox to Fort Wayne. He is a Nickel Plate fireman.

Switchman David Prim, of Pittsburg engine 189, is the proud father of a bady boy, who tips the beam at ten and one-half pounds.

The shipments from the electric works today were a power motor to the Toledo Supply company and a motor to M. Weill, New York.

There was a slight accident at the east yards yesterday morning, in which several cars were derailed. Traffic was blocked for a couple of hours.

James Hardigan, passenger engineer on the Nickel Plate, is sick and off duty. Engineer John Cook, of the same road, is taking a few days' rest.

The Southern railway has purchased an extensive piece of ground in Salisbury, N. C., on which to erect shops which will give employment to 300 men.

L. Gronau, F. Gephard and V. Burger, of the Pittsburg shops, are off duty. Gephard has a sick child and the other two men are suffering with bad colds.

The annual report of President Roberts, of the Pennsylvania lines, was on Friday submitted to the board of directors, and will be published in a few days.

J. P. Hays, a Wabash engineer, has returned from Montreal and resumed his duties on the road. Mr. Hays is a nephew of the general manager of the Grand Trunk road.

Contractor Fred H. Boester has secured the contract to build the addition to the Sunday school part of the Wayne street M. E. church, the work to be completed as soon as possible.

The steam hammers in the Pittsburg shops which are operated by James Trythall and Frank Girard and their crews resumed work this morning after being thoroughly overhauled and repaired.

J. F. Lee has been appointed to take charge of the Canadian Pacific's passenger business in Chicago territory, with the title of general agent, passenger department, with headquarters at 232 South Clark street.

John Toole, C. C. Dickman and F. Garber, locomotive firemen, have quit the Nickel Plate and will seek work elsewhere. Mr. Garber has gone to his old home in Pennsylvania. Business on the railroads is very light at present.

Engineer Louis Balzer rode the Maccabee goat last night and consequently was not able to take his run out on the Nickel Plate today. By frequent applications of arnica to various bruises he hopes to be able to resume work to morrow.

Jacob Waldschmidt reports a new baby girl at his home. He is an employe of the Pittsburg planing mills, but felt so happy over the addition to his family that he asked permission to remain at home today and enjoy his new daughter's company.

Operator Gilson, of the Nickel Plate yard office, has resumed work after a week spent with relatives at Pleasant Mills, Ind. During their sojourn in that village, Mrs. Gilson, whose parents reside there, presented her husband with a bouncing baby girl.

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It is stated that as a result of the conference of Receiver Pierce, of the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City, and General Freight Agent Weed, with the managers of the Joint Traffic association, the road, though not a member, is to co-operate with it in maintaining rates.

The Silverine orchestra was organized last night. It is composed of the following gentlemen, several of whom are Pittsburg shopmen and all residents of the Tenth ward: Matt Young, manager; J. Smith, P. Smith, Joseph Nern, E. Rosenberger, M. Freiberger, George Alter, A. Walker and A. Falmer. The orchestra expects to be ready for business in a few weeks.

Last Saturday was the eleventh birthday of James Nicholson, the genial yard foreman of the Nickel Plate. He was born February 29, 1856, and though forty winters have come and gone since that date, only eleven of his birthdays have passed. Mr. and Mrs Nicholson decided to make the anniversary the occasion for a social gathering, and upon their invitation about twenty-five persons, many of them employes of the Nickel Plate yards and offices, assembled at the home of the couple, 24 Boone street, Saturday evening, and were royally entertained. A five course supper was served and after the feast the hours were devoted to cards and games of various kinds. The guests presented Mr. Nicholson with a handsome table, while Mrs. Nicholson presented him with a gold watch chain. It was a most pleasant affair and will long be remembered by host, hostess and guests.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

Official Call Issued by the District Chairman.

At a meeting, composed of the chairmen of the democratic central committees of the several counties of the Twelfth congressional district and the district committeeman, held at Fort Wayne, on the 8th day of January, 1896, it was determined that the convention for the nomination of a democratic candidate for congress, to represent the district, would be held at the opera house in the city of Kendallville, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 7TH, 1896,

at 2 o'clock p. m. All delegates heretofore elected, or such as may be hereafter elected to said convention are requested to take notice and be present at the convention at the time and place above stated, without further notification. Democrats generally are requested to be present. The representation for the several counties is as follows, and is based upon one delegate for each one hundred and fractions of fifty votes and over cast for Claude Matthews for governor in 1892

Allen	99
DeKalb	27
Noble	29
Lagrange	14
Steuben	13
Whitley	22
Total	204

THOS. R. MARSHALL,
District Chairman.

Richmond Evening Item: "One of the things that is most influential in keeping other telephones out of the field occupied by the Bell company is that there is a tremendous expense attached to the business in the way of keeping up with all the improvements that are made in appliances and apparatus and only a company that is backed by a tremendous capital can give a satisfactory service. They have been in the field for years and are familiar with every detail of the business and have the advantage all the time of the inside track. There will never be any successful competition, probably, along this line until the question of the patent on the telephone instrument is settled by the supreme court. If it is decided that the patent has expired and the manufacture of the instruments is open to the world, then there will be a chance for the successful competition. New switch boards are now being made for the local exchange, as the ones they have, while comparatively new, are out of date."

A New Church Roof From Butter.

St. Augustine's Roman Catholic church, Kalamazoo, Mich., is going to build a new roof out of butter. Strange as it may appear, it will be water tight and sound as steel. The idea is this: Every parishioner who feels so disposed will deny himself the use of butter during Lent, and the money that would otherwise go for butter will build the roof. Other parishioners will abstain from certain pleasures and raise a fund for fresco work.

"Why," demanded the Circassian beauty petulantly, "do you always eat pie with a knife?"

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LIST OF CHAMPIONS

In the Various Classes in the Pugilistic Arena.

Base Ball Items of Local Interest—Bicycle News—Horse Notes—Trap Shooters.

The following list shows the present pugilistic champions:

World's Heavyweight—(?)

World's Middleweight—Robert Fitzsimmons.

World's Lightweight—Jack McAuliffe.

World's Featherweight—George Dixon.

World's Bantamweight—Pedlar Palmer.

American Heavyweight—(?)

American Middleweight — Robert Fitzsimmons.

American Welterweight — Tommy Ryan (Joseph Youngs).

American Lightweight—Jack McAuliffe.

American Featherweight — George Dixon.

American Bantamweight — Jimmy Barry.

English Heavyweight—Peter Jackson.

English Middleweight—Jim Hall.

English Welterweight—Dick Burge.

English Featherweight—Bill Baxter.

English Bantamweight—Pedlar Palmer.

Australian Heavyweight—Peter Jackson.

Australian Middleweight—Dan Creedon.

Australian Welterweight—Tom Tracey.

Australian Lightweight—Tom Williams.

Australian Featherweight—Al. Griffiths (Young Griffo).

Australian Bantamweight—Abe Willis.

THE MICHIGAN LEAGUE.

The Michigan Base Ball league was formally organized by electing W. H Mumby, of Corunna, president, secretary and treasurer, and George H Brown, of Port Huron, vice president. The cities in the circuit are: Saginaw, Port Huron, Lansing, Jackson, Adrian, and Kalamazoo. Manistee and Muskegon will be admitted to the committee, making a short jump circuit of eight clubs.

The salary limit is $600 per month, and the league will join class B, so as to secure reservation. The season will open May 18, and last four months, and it is thought on the limit all the clubs will stay it out. Sunday ball playing will be optional with the clubs.

BILLIARDS DECLINING.

Jake Schaefer, who is playing exhibition games in Boston, regrets the decadence of billiards. He said: "Billiards, why there are none any more. There are no players. In the good old days, twenty years ago, every city over 10,000 inhabitants had an aspirant for the championship, and these players had no time to go around the country and give exhibitions. And they were all good players, too. George Slosson is under contract with a billiard table company and he is practically out of the game as far as tournaments are concerned. Ives thinks that he has won all the laurels he cares for on this side, and has gone across to Spain to defeat foreign players."

MINOR NOTES.

Charley Mitchell may be on the Inter State league staff.

Frank Robison is said to be the sole backer of the Fort Wayne club.

Ed Miles, the shortstop of last year's St. Joe team, has been signed by Toledo.

George D. Gideon has accepted the chairmanship of the L. A. W. racing board.

Catcher William Holmes has been elected catcher of the Ann Arbor university team.

P. C. Wood, of Detroit, won Class A medal in the Michigan Gun club shoot, scoring twenty targets straight.

Manager Moreland, of the Wheeling team, accepted the terms of Barney McGarvey, who pitched last year for Toronto.

Manager Torreson is after Pitcher Gray, of last year's Titusville team. Gray is an excellent twirler and would materially strengthen the Toledo club in the box.

The Fleischmanns believe Halma will be greater in his four-year-old form than he was last year, and that he will again make a name for himself when he begins to race.

Johnson, Murphy, Bald, Elliott, Zimmerman and other crack bicycle riders will go to Europe for the coming season. They claim they can make more money over there.

James Reilly, a St. Louis professional, has accepted the terms of the Washington, Pa., club, of the Inter-State league. He is a pitcher and infielder of experience and will, no doubt, do good work this season.

Owing to a clash of dates for the second week of May the executive committee of the Ohio State Trap Shooters' league have decided to hold their annual tournament at Dayton, O., on June 9, 10 and 11.

The Westinghouse Electric company, of McKeesport, Pa., are said to be backing a scheme to manufacture bicycles to be propelled by electricity. The wheels are to be so constructed that the rider is not compelled to do anything but steer, a storage battery doing the work of propelling the machine along.

The report that Taral will ride Halma in the spring handicaps is a little premature. He has been asked what his terms would be to ride the horse, but has not yet replied, not having consulted Mr. Byrnes and Mr. Marcus Daly on the subject. It is probable that he will ride Halma, provided he gets the permission of his employers.

Count Magri, Mrs. Tom Thumb's husband, whose height is thirty inches and whose age is forty-seven, has placed an order for what will be the smallest bicycle on record. The wheel will be fourteen inches, the frame twelve inches, and it will only weigh ten pounds. Special dies will have to be made. When the count was told that would cost him $250, he threw up his hands, but the countess put up the cash.

HILL AND NETHERSOLE.

The Statesman Said to Be Engaged to the Great Kissing Actress.

If Dame Rumor is correct in her deductions, David B. Hill has really made up his mind to give society something to talk about. In other words, I have it on good authority that the dark eyed statesman from the Empire State is engaged to marry Miss Olga Nethersole,

MISS OLGA NETHERSOLE.

who, you know, is the tall and good looking English woman who is at present earning fame and a fair number of dollars in a dramatic tour of this country.

Miss Nethersole is a very clever actress, and I understand that the senator has been paying her more or less devoted attentions ever since their first meeting, which was a year ago in New York. The wedding is said to be fixed for June and will be solemnized at the bride's home in one of the aristocratic suburbs of London.

I give you this news for what it is worth, but it was given to me by a man who both from a social and official point of view is in a position to know what the senator's plans are, for both the present and the future.—Washington Town Talk.

NO WOMEN SINGERS.

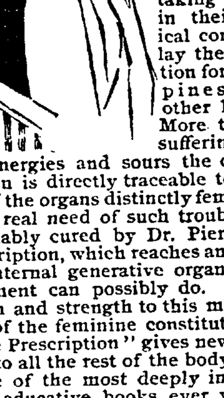
Barred Out of Catholic Churches by a Recent Vatican Order.

Women are no longer to be permitted to take any official part either as soloists or as ordinary choristers in the musical portion of the services of the Catholic church, an exception, however, being made in favor of the chapels of convents. A pastoral letter to this effect has just been addressed by Cardinal Richard, archbishop of Paris and metropolitan and primate of France, to the bishops and clergy subject to his ecclesiastical jurisdiction, and he bases his directions in connection with the matter upon explicit commands lately received from the congregation of rites at Rome.

This congregation is a committee of cardinals specially appointed by the pope for the interpretation of canon law on the subject of the conduct of the various ceremonies and functions of divine worship. Being furnished with plenary powers, its decisions have to be taken as though given by the holy father himself.

It is to the scandal created by the action of certain French clergy in intrusting the solos of the most solemn portion of the high mass to an operatic star who is just at the present time arousing a considerable amount of unpleasant comment, even in the public press, by reason of her moral shortcomings, that the promulgation of Cardinal Richard's pastoral is attributed. He appears to have consulted the pontiff in person on the subject before issuing it.

Contrary to popular belief, even among the clergy, this decree, which bids fair to revolutionize the methods of public worship that have been in use in the Catholic church in every part of the world, except Rome, for ages past, is not a new law, but merely the revival of a very old one, which either intentionally or unknowingly had become altogether a dead letter. Few of the American visitors to Rome who have listened to the thrilling notes of the male sopranos of the so called Sistine chapel choir at the Vatican have known that their enrollment by those prelates in charge of the musical portion of the services at St. Peter's is due to the existence of a law observed only in Rome, forbidding the use of women as choristers and soloists.—New York Journal.



The happiness of married life depends on the wife's health oftener than on any other one consideration. An ailing woman is a source of discontent to herself and a burden and drag upon her husband. Women by taking more interest in their own physical condition would lay the best foundation for married happiness and every other happiness. More than half the suffering which saps the energies and sours the disposition of women is directly traceable to some disorder of the organs distinctly feminine. There is no real need of such troubles; they are invariably cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which reaches and strengthens the internal generative organs as no other treatment can possibly do. By restoring health and strength to this most important part of the feminine constitution, the "Favorite Prescription" gives new tone and energy to all the rest of the body.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

State Senator.

ED. SENTINEL:—Please announce my name as a candidate for Joint Senator for the counties of Allen and Whitley, subject to the decision of the Democratic senatorial convention. W. S. GANDY.

For Sheriff.

ED. SENTINEL:—Please announce the name of Albert Melching, the present deputy sheriff, as a candidate for sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic county nominating convention in June next.

For Mayor.

EDITOR SENTINEL—Please announce the name of E. H. McDonald as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, subject to the decision of the Democratic nominating convention, and oblige.
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H. P. SCHERER.

ED. SENTINEL:—Will you please announce my name as a candidate for re-election to the office of mayor of the city of Fort Wayne, subject to the action of the republican nominating convention.
CHAUNCEY B. OAKLEY.

For City Clerk.

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WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisment, front page, first column. 4-tf

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*No. 6 Eastern Express...	*6 20 pm	*6 25 pm
†Local Freight...	4 25 pm	7 20 am
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24.	Lafayette Acc., ar., ex. Sunday....	[illegible]
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45.	St. Louis Express, daily........	[illegible]
4[illegible].	Kan. City Cannon Ball, ex. Sun..	[illegible]
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23.	Lafayette Acc., ex. Sunday........	[illegible]

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Leave	EAST.			
Ft. Wayne Mxd. 22...	8 15 am	3 30pm	6 55 am	
Haviland " "	11 05 am	3 36 pm	8 01 am	
Cloverdale " "	12 35 am	4 07pm	8 28 am	
Ottawa " "	2 3[illegible] am	4 43pm	9 01 am	
Arrive.				
Toledo (C. H. & D.)......		7 15 pm	10 45am	
Findlay " "	4 15 am	5 30 pm	9 47am	
Arrive	WEST.			
Ft. Wayne Mxd. 21...	10 40 am	7 00 pm	4 50 pm	
Haviland " "	9 36 am	5 51 pm	1 55 pm	
Cloverdale " "	9 06 am	5 19 pm	12 35 pm	
Ottawa " "	8 30 am	4 43 pm	11 00 pm	
Leave.				
Toledo (C. H. & D.)......	6 45 am	2 57 pm		
Findlay " "	7 45 am	4 00 pm	2 35 pm	

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*For Grand Rapids and North..........	2.20 am
....	8.15 am
....	2.55 pm
From Richmond........................	6.55 pm
SOUTHBOUND.	
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....	5.45 am
....	1.15 pm
From Grand Rapids.....................	7.15 pm
From Grand Rapids.....................	11.25 pm

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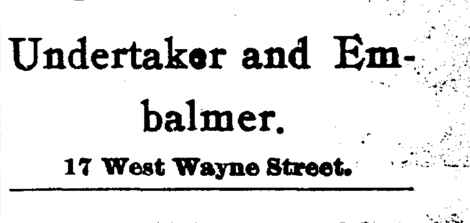

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To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 465 and they will call for your work.

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Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Rev. D. F. Kain, of Monroeville, has been granted letters patent on a power ditch digger. The machine is drawn by two horses and digs a tile ditch as fast as the horses walk.

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Two choice lots on Rivermet avenue, corner of Oneida street, for sale at a great bargain if taken before March 15th. Enquire of W. V. Douglass, Schmitz block. 29.4

Miss Helen Hoenfelds has returned from Columbia City, where she was visiting the Misses Daniels and attending the Charity ball.

OUR ANNUAL MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

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For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $2.00 to $2 50.

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For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3.00 and $3.50; we have all sizes of each pattern.

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For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4 50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max

The Evening Sentinel.

TUESDAY, MARCH. 3, 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 1?7.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, March, 3.—For Indiana Snow tonight and Wednesday; colder Wednesday; brisk northeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs Herman Berghoff is very low.

Born, to Mr and Mrs. John Nehr, of Pontiac street—a son.

A Oppenheim a merchant of Bluffton, was in the city today on business.

Miss Hattie Drake, of Hartford City, is the guest of her brother, Henry Drake.

Mrs. J. M Henry will give a progressive pedro at her home on Friday evening

Burr Glenn, of Huntington, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs John Dickman, of 117 Boone street, were presented with a leap year son Saturday.

M E Burns, the proprietor of The Post, has returned from Indianapolis, where he spent Sunday.

Miss Frankie Juliard went to Chicago this morning to study spring styles and fashions in dress making.

Miss Jeanetta Fulton, of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. E. Collett, of 40 Brackenridge street.

The Wit and Wisdom club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. F. H. Poole, No. 31 West Creighton avenue.

The Humane society holds its annual meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Officers will be elected.

Mrs. A. D. Guild will give a thimble party tomorrow afternoon in honor of her guests, Mrs. W. H. Hatfield and Mrs. M. A. Poole.

The Elks minstrels meet tomorrow night for rehearsal. The company is progressing nicely with the program and the entertainment promises to be first-class.

Home lodge No 342 F. & A. M., met this afternoon at 1 o'clock. A large number of candidates were to receive the Master Mason's degree and the work will continue far into the night. Supper will be served at the lodge room at 7 o'clock this evening.

Columbia City Post: "Mrs Scantling, who has been visiting for the past week with friends in this city returned home to Fort Wayne this afternoon.—Miss Buchman returned to Fort Wayne today after spending a couple of weeks in this city the guest of Miss Mame Clugston."

The entertainment given by Edwards camp No. 3 327, of the Order of Modern Woodmen, at their hall on Court street last night, was attended by a large crowd, who thoroughly enjoyed themselves. A fine program was rendered and afterward the ladies served refreshments.

Bluffton News: "W D. Seaton, night mailing clerk of the Fort Wayne postoffice, is visiting among friends here for a few days—Miss Millie Plessinger went to Fort Wayne this morning to visit a week with friends—Mrs. A. F. Bly, of Fort Wayne spent Sunday with her husband in this city."

The board of public safety had a meeting last night, and investigated some charges that were made against Policeman Knock by Charles Snyder, of Wilmot, Ind. Snyder claimed that a few nights ago he was in the parlor of the Harmon house when Officer Knock came in and laid down on a so'a and went to sleep and snored so loud that it disturbed Snyder. The board made an investigation and found that Knock did not go to sleep in the place, therefore he was acquitted of the charges.

The membership contest at the Y. M. C. A. is creating much excitement among the participants who are working hard to win the prize. The prizes to be given the successful contestants are now on exhibition at the association parlors. The first prize, a handsome Smalley wheel, worth $100, was donated by the Randall Cycle company; the second, a valuable gold watch, was donated by August Bruder; Golden & Patterson donated a $25 suit of clothes for the third prize and the proprietors of the Hoosier Shoe store have given a pair of shoes as one of the other prizes The other prizes are a $12 membership ticket in the association, a $6 cane and umbrella by the U S. clothing house, a fine mackintosh by the Bell Clothing house, a sweater by the Friend's Enterprise, a carom board by the Temple of Economy, and a membership ticket in the junior department

Hot House Lettuce and Pineapples for This, Tuesday Afternoon.

Nice Fresh Lettuce, large bunches, 18c lb
Havana Pineapples, 20c each.
Valencia Oranges, 20c dozen.
California Oranges, 35c dozen.
Best Messina Lemons, 20c dozen.
Malaga Grapes, large bunches, 25c lb
Jersey Cranberries, 6c and 8c qt.

FRUIT HOUSE.

The Young Women's society of the First Presbyterian church will give a musical at the church Friday evening, April 10.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures. 1tf

The Frost & Fanshawe Co. commenced a week's engagement at the Empire last night to an audience so large that many were turned away long before the rise of the curtain. The company is one of the strongest repertoire companies on the road. They appear in a different play every night Tonight they appear in the funny comedy "The Country Postmaster" The managers will admit ladies free tonight again accompanied by a paid ticket.

Mrs. A. H. Hamilton and Miss Agnes Hamilton, are in the east.

John W. Fawley spent Sunday at Wabash visiting friends.

Mrs. Landis is entertaining her brother, Mr Swank, of Angola.

Attorney A. L. Clark, of Greenville, Ohio, was a guest in the city over Sunday.

Mr. T. A. Green, of Knox, was in the city over Sunday, the guest of Mrs. C. H. Meek.

Dr. and Mrs G. L. Greenawalt are expected home from Baltimore about the fifteenth of this month.

Mrs J. W. Hippenhammer, of Scott avenue, who has been very sick for some time, is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Fox are now at home in the pleasant cottage on the corner of Wilt and Jackson streets

Mrs. August Yergens, of Washington township, the wife of a well known farmer, is very low with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalby, of Montpelier, Ind, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gates, No. 153 Jackson street.

John S. Hart, of Hicksville, one of the promoters of the Fort Wayne and Hicksville electric road, was in the city today.

Miss Rica Bargman returns home this evening, after a week's absence, attending the wholesale millinery openings.

The condition of J. P. Lloyd, of East Berry street, this morning was extremely critical. It is feared that the end is fast approaching.

Mr. and Mrs. August Heuer, of Chicago, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Mrs Heuer will be remembered as Miss Tillie Thieme.

The festival of Purim was held at the Standard hall last evening and presented a very beautiful and interesting program by the Jewish Sabbath school.

Daniel Meyers and son, the ice cream manufacturers of Columbia City, are in the city today, looking up a location for their business for the coming summer.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of the City Y. M. C. A., at their rooms in the association building tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

At a regular meeting of the Fortnightly club last evening, Mrs. August Detzer read an interesting paper on "The Early Mental Development of Children."

Frank Stone, of East Wayne street, who has been confined to his home with illness for some time, has recovered and is now able to resume his place on the road for an Indianapolis hardware house.

The Young Ladies' society met yesterday afternoon, at the First Presbyterian church, and made final arrangements for a concert and organ recital to be given in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church, April 10.

Will Winch, formerly of this city, but who has for some time resided in Warren, Ind., is arranging to remove to Florence, Ala, where he will engage in the lumber business. His family will leave for the south in a short time.

Mrs. Harry Ninde entertained the officers of the Morning musical, at Wildwood, this afternoon, in honor of Miss Villa Whitney White and Miss Dillingham, of Boston, who gave the program at the Morning musical recital this morning.

Rev. S. D. Snyder, formerly of Dayton, has been called to the pastorate of Heidelberg Reformed church and has signified his acceptance. Mr. Snyder comes well recommended as a pulpit orator and an earnest worker, and the new congregation will flourish under his direction. Heidelberg church now consists of eighty-two families.

The invention of J. R Mote, of this city, for the purpose of registering the names of the streets on the street cars, is an unique one and if introduced would be a great convenience to the public. As the car approaches a street its name is dropped to view by means of an attachment to the rail, which works attachments in the car at the proper time.

Rev. F. G. Cadwell, of Ann Arbor, Mich., who is assisting the pastor of Bethany church in holding revival meetings this week, is a graduate of the McCormick Theological university at Chicago and was a classmate of Rev. Davies, the pastor of Bethany church. He is a brilliant pulpit orator. His sermon last evening was an able one and interesting to the large audience present.

EATS NICKEL PLATING.

The Facts Slowly Come Out.

"I notice that all around the faucet and the faucet handles of our coffee urn the nickel plating is eaten off," said the coffee maker in one of the large city restaurants lately, "and the inside of this big dipper that we use steady in drawing off coffee gets to be a sight. I believe it hurts peoples' stomachs more then they think I know I had to quit it, and when I quit, my dyspepsia left me in less than a week."

Postum Cereal is made of pure grains and looks like coffee. It fills the want for coffee for those who cannot drink the berry liquid. Postum Cereal makes good healthy red blood, and can be used by children and invalids as well as the healthy ones.

Attend the lecture of Marion Harland, at the Wayne steet M. E. church, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights.

Morgan & Co. are pleased to announce that they will handle this year, The Barnes, Tribune, Halliday Alex, Hoosier bicycles, with a full line of ladies' wheels in all patterns, and everything in the sundry line needed by the enthusiastic bicycler, including suits and shoes Messrs Snyder and Anderson both men of large experience, will be ready to receive and wait upon all customers and others desiring to look at wheels. Remember the place 19 and 21 E. Colombia St 29 3

TO BE PAVED.

Pontiac Street From Calhoun to Lafayette.

Winch Street Will be Graded—Petition for Paving Holman Street—Business of the B. P. W.

The board of public works at the meeting yesterday afternoon considered the plans and specifications for the paving of Pontiac street from Calhoun to Lafayette street. A resolution for the improvement will be prepared and passed at the next meeting. It was decided by the board that hereafter contractors for street paving will be required to put up a larger deposit as a forfeit for the proper performance of the work. The amount required heretofore was $25 but the members of the board intend hereafter to fix the amount in accordance with the importance of the contract.

F. A. Randall petitioned for the paving of Holman street from Calhoun to Clinton street. The petition was filed for future reference.

A petition was also filed which asked for sidewalks on the east side of Lillie street from Creighton avenue to Pontiac street.

The superintendent of streets was instructed to look after some lots on Michigan avenue, between Broadway and Metz street, which are located high above the sidewalk, which at every rain are overflowed with water.

The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the grading of Winch street from Maumee avenue to the Wabash railroad.

THE MAYOR'S STORY.

He Tells One With Effect in Police Court.

How He Dealt With Peter Jenkins, an Old Soldier, Who Had Been Arrested for Intoxication.

Peter Jenkins, an old soldier, was before the mayor this morning charged with having been full of apple jack. Jenkins explained to the mayor that he wanted to get to Columbus, Ohio, in time to draw his pension tomorrow. He said he hadn't a cent, but that he fell in with a lot of old comrades in this city and they succeeded in getting him drunk. After considering the case a while Mayor Oakley asked the veteran:

"How long did you serve in the army?"

"Four years, your honor," Jenkins replied.

The mayor consulted with Deputy Prosecutor Aiken and then said: "I am a good deal like General Jackson in this case. One time a soldier was brought before General Jackson for being intoxicated. Jackson asked him how long he had served in the army, and the soldier replied that he had put in four years. 'All right, my man,' said Jackson, 'you may go. A man who has served four years in the army can get drunk in my town as often as he likes.'"

Finishing his story, Mayor Oakley handed Officer Hines a quarter and told him to get Jenkins a breakfast and then see to it that he got out of the city on the first train for Columbus. Jenkins was profuse in his thanks for the leniency and kindness and promised to never get drunk in Fort Wayne again if he lived a million years.

The public are kindly invited to attend the Bicycle Show in the Y. M. C. A., City Department, Friday and Saturday afternoon and evening, March 6 and 7. Most of the dealers in the city will be represented and the hall will be decorated. The spaces are already assigned and the parties named below will exhibit. There will be shown most of the best wheels made in the country and a large line of sundries, including tires and different makes of all the accessories and coveniences for bicycle riding. During the evening music by the Mandolin Club and some gymnastic exercises will be given at intervals for the entertainment of the visitors.

A small admission fee of 10 cents will be charged for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium

Mr. Joe W. Bell will exhibit the Davis, Syracuse, Spaulding and Pierce wheels.

Messrs. J. C. Peters & Co. will show the Sterling and Featherstone as an intermediate line

Messrs F. M. Smith & Co will present the old and reliable Columbia and the Hart ord lines.

The Randall Cycle company, so long and well known, will entertain you with the good points of the Cleveland, Gendron, Smalley, Waverly and Winton.

Mr. A. C. Katt will tell you of the fine points of the Ramblers, Andrea, Crescent and Outing wheels.

The Columbia Machine works will have a fine line, including the Arrow, Eclipse, Fenton and Liberty wheels.

Mr. Louis Mohr will spend his forces on the White, a superior wheel made by the White Sewing Machine company.

The Steger-Gouty Cycle company will be there and there to stay with the Viking, Stearns, Napoleon, Hoffman and Kearney bicycles.

Morgan & Company's exhibit will be under the charge of Messers. Snyder and Anderson, and will present the old favorites Tribune and Halladay and in addition, the Barnes White Flyer and the Alix as an intermediate grade.

We receive beautiful new designs in wall paper daily, which we intend to sell at very low prices. Come and see them at

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EMPIRE THEATER.
Frost & Fanshawe Co.

Mud Anthony Tent, No 55 K. O. T. M., initiated four new members to their ranks last night.

LEADERS CHOSEN.

New Officers of the Epworth League of the Wayne Street M. E. Church.

The regular annual business meeting of the Epworth league of the Wayne Street M E church was held last night and the following officers elected for the ensuing year:

President—Miss Clara M Bennett.
Chairman Department of Social Entertainment—Miss Alice Hamil.
Chairman Department of Spiritual Work—Miss Louise Drittmeyer.
Chairman Department of Mercy and Help—Mrs. G. S. Miller.
Chairman Department of Literary Work—Frank Dildine.
Secretary—Charles E. Wright.
Treasurer—J Edward N. Dillon.
Chorister—W. D. Williams.
Organist—Miss Carrie B. Schrader.

President of the Junior League—Miss Lottie Smith.

The league voted to contribute $500 towards the building fund of the new church and decided also to furnish a memorial window for the new edifice. They also employed F. M. Barrows, the artist, to take views of the old church building and the interior of the audience room. The photographs taken from these negatives they will sell for the benefit of the church fund.

MISDIRECTED CHARITY.

Associated Charities Make an Explanation in Regard to It.

EDITOR SENTINEL—The attention of the public is called to a certain class of mendicants who are still found begging on the streets and in business places. The organized charities of this city have undertaken to abolish street begging, and for this reason we wish to make a statement of the facts which are as follows: The beggars referred to are old persons whose feeble appearance and persistent appeals usually obtain for them the alms which they ask. In each case, however, there are grown up children or other relatives at home who could earn a living, but prefer to live on the proceeds of this misdirected charity. It is impossible in these cases to give anything to the aged and infirm without its being shared by those who are not only lazy but in many cases dissolute, immoral and objectionable to the neighborhoods in which they live.

The different charitable agencies are united in the determination to refuse aid to such persons and to induce them to abandon their worthless relatives whom they are partly supporting and accept a home in the county asylum where they would be much better cared for. The reason why this has not been accomplished is that the parties referred to prefer to beg and find it a lucrative business. It is therefore, only in the interest of true charity that the public is asked not to assist any applicant without first learning the facts in the case. This information can always be obtained through the Associated charities.

C. E. PREVEY,
General Secretary.

Resolutions of Condolence.

HALL OF BRANCH NO 103, C. K. A. P.
FORT WAYNE IND MARCH 1, 1896.

WHEREAS, Almighty God in the exercise of his divine will, has removed from this world and the turmoils of this life, our friend and brother, James Woulfe, therefore, we the members of St. Bernard's Branch 103, of the Catholic Knights of America, beg to pay our last sad tribute to the memory of the departed and to express our sorrow that the generous pulse of the friend we knew so well, has been stilled forever by the icy hand of death.

Having been an active member of the Catholic Knights of America for fourteen years and at the time of his death an honored and efficient officer of Branch 103, we feel that in his untimely death we have sustained a loss that will be difficult to adequately fill.

Always ready to respond to any call of sickness or distress, devotedly attached to the fraternal orders of which he was a member and foremost in promoting their principles and success, his humble christian life and unassuming charity, his zealous work in behalf of every cause, will be an inspiration to emulate his noble example and prove the most enduring monument to his memory.

Resolved, That we tender to his bereaved widow our sincere sympathy in her great affliction, and express very inadequately in this way, our sorrow and regret at the loss of one whom we had learned through years of fraternal association, to esteem for his untiring zeal, to honor for his unswerving manliness, to respect for his kindly counsel and to love for his many charities.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother.

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PATRICK RYAN,
W. L LOGAN,
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These are just opened up.

New Band Bows, at 25c and 50c.
New Flowing End Scarfs, at 50c.
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At 25c, 33c and 50c yard.

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New Gold and Iridescent Belts, at 50, 75c and $1 00.
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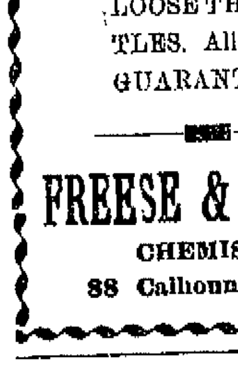

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SUIT BEGUN

By Republicans to Set Aside the Apportionment Act.

Gov. Matthews Gives His Reasons for Refusing to Call the Legislature Together.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 3.—As soon as the reply of Governor Matthews refusing to call a special session of the legislature was placed in the hands of Chairman Gowdy, of the republican state central committee, suit was instituted in the superior court of this county to set aside the apportionment act of 1885 as unconstitutional. The court is asked to restrain the clerk and auditor of this county from issuing certificates for holding the election for senators and representatives under the law of 1885, setting up that the districts as therein constituted are unfair to many sections and in disregard of the census taken by the auditor of state in 1884 and on which the number of senators and representatives is based.

The complaint declares that Marion county, under the census, was entitled to three senators and six representatives, but the act complained of apportioned to that county but two senators and five representatives, thus disfranchising a large number of people out of the right to an equitable representation in the legislature. Similar complaint is made of numerous counties.

The complaint also alleges that the basis or unit of representation at that time was 5 000 voters for one representative and 10,000 voters for one senator, but in some districts representatives and senators were apportioned to counties having less than the unit, and in others but a single senator or representative was apportioned where the vote was largely in excess of the unit. There is little doubt but the democrats will now carry out their plan of having the supreme court decision construed by that body so as to order the election of an entirely new legislature, thus ignoring the twenty five hold-over senators, of whom nineteen are republicans.

GOVERNOR MATTHEW'S LETTER.

Governor Matthews sent a reply to Chairman Gowdy, of the republican state central committee, to the memorial asking the executive to call a special session of the legislature. Since the memorial was submitted the governor has received a large number of letters and telegrams asking him to refuse to call the legislature together, the writers urging that a special session is unnecessary and would put the state to a needless expense. After referring to the necessary delay in replying to the memorial, the governor says:

While you present this memorial as the duly accredited representatives of a political party I must in this reply consider it as an official of the people, clothed with a responsibility by the recent decision of the supreme court of the state, adjudging all acts for legislative apportionment since the act of 1885 to be unconstitutional, I have fully realized the serious responsibility thus thrust upon me and have endeavored to determine the best course to pursue independent of political considerations and only with regard to the welfare of all the people of the state. The constitution provides that "if in the opinion of the governor the public welfare shall require it he may at any time by proclamation call a special session." An executive hesitates to avail himself of this authority except in conditions of extreme exigency, and when there may be no other way of remedying evils. Besides, in the present situation there are grave doubts in the minds of many prudent, careful and well informed citizens as to whether there is a lawful legislature to be called together after the acts under which the last general assembly were elected had been declared unconstitutional.

"To convene the legislature would be to remedy a supposed necessity but temporarily. It will become the duty of the next general assembly, that of 1897, under the constitution to apportion the state for legislative purposes, and I cannot see my way clear to put this expense upon the people of the state when the time is so near for the regular constitutional apportionment. Fortunately the supreme court after careful and deliberate thought has, I believe, clearly and wisely, in full recognition of existing conditions, pointed the way out of the difficulty by indicating that a legal election may be held under the act of 1885 You make the claim in your statement that the law of 1885 is self evidently unconstitutional. I readily concede to you the right to presume this to be the case, but I cannot assume the law of 1885 to be unconstitutional until it has been so declared by the highest judicial tribunal of the state.

"The people are wearied with the litigation growing out of the discontent of the few, and there is reason to believe that the public in general is not filled with alarm at the supposed evils and confusion that would result from an election of the legislature under this law that is entertained by a few through selfish and personal motives. I fully concur with you, gentlemen, in all that may be said in denunciation of the infamy, the injustice and the wrong of partisan apportionments called gerrymanders. It is to be hoped that no future legislatures will ever prove so recreant to the trust confided in them by their fellow citizens as characterized the last and some past legislatures

'You further state that, owing to the grave situation the committee of which you are a part decided "after long and conscientious deliberation" to ask of the members of the general assembly of the political party for which you claim the right to speak and which controlled that assembly, a pledge that if called together in special session "no general legislation should be entered upon except to pass a constitutional apportionment law;" or, to put it in other words, that having failed to perform their duty as representatives and as required by the constitution while in regular session they would, if given the opportunity, perform those duties in a right and proper way.

"It is a matter of public knowledge that at the opening of the campaign of 1894 a distinguished member of your party and now commonly reported to be a candidate for the United States senate sounded the 'keynote' and devoted nearly his entire speech to the subject of apportionment. In this speech he promised that if his party candidates were chosen a just, equitable and constitutional apportionment should be enacted. This same promise was made by the candidates of your party. The general assembly met, took the oath of office to support the constitution of the state, but, notwithstanding this oath, in spite of previous decisions of the supreme court pointing out objectionable and unconstitutional features of former laws, in disregard of promises given to the people, ignoring repeated warnings of their own party and heedless of the message of the executive directing their attention to the unconstitutionality of the acts, proceeded wantonly, willfully and defiantly to enact a law that for injustice and outrageous disfranchisement of citizens has not had its equal upon the statute books of Indiana In view of these facts I hope you will pardon me, gentlemen, if I am not impressed with that confidence in the ability or the disposition of the last general assembly to enact a valid apportionment law."

WILL GO TO CORINTO.

The Alert Receives Her Sailing Orders.

After Coaling at Acapulco, She Will Sail for Nicaragua to Protect American Interests.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The United States ship Alert arrived at Acapulco, Mexico, this morning, and reported the fact by cable to the navy department Orders have been dispatched already to the commander to start southward again with his ship for Corinto, to protect American interests there during the revolutionary disturbances in Nicaragua. The ship must first take a supply of coal aboard at Acapulco which will consume a day at least, and the return trip will be made in about three days more, so that the Alert will be at Corinto about Thursday evening or Friday morning Although no information is obtainable at the state department respecting the reports to the department from Minister Baker at Managua, it is believed that the officials look upon the uprising as serious in extent.

CRIED LIKE A CHILD.

Tommy Ryan Whipped by Kid McCoy in Fifteen Rounds.

MASPETH, L. I., March 3.—Kid McCoy knocked out Tommy Ryan, now of Syracuse, N. Y., but formerly of Chicago, in fifteen rounds at the Empire Athletic club last night. McCoy had the best of it in every round and came out practically without a scratch or mark. Ryan, on the other hand, was badly used up. Tim Hurst acted as referee.

As usual Ryan thought he had an easy mark, and it was something of a sensation to him to discover a fighter in front of him. From the call of time to the end of the second round Ryan smiled in a contemptuous manner at what he considered his easy foe. Then two or three stiff punches in the face woke him up and he became a trifle more cautious. He guarded himself closer and shifted about more on his feet, but no matter where he stepped, nor how quickly, McCoy was always there with right and left hand punches. which seldom failed to land and with effect.

Then the "yellow streak" with which Ryan has been accused of having, asserted itself. The punishment was too much and hurt him. He began running around the ring. and McCoy chased him faster than George Dawson did on a memorable occasion. Even at running McCoy was the better man, and kept close enough to Ryan to pelt him in the neck and back of the head. When Ryan was too tired to run any more he stood his ground and took the beating which had been predicted for him

After the battle Ryan cried like a child and begged McCoy to promise him a return battle. The winner gave him little consolation.

THE NORTH POLE.

Prof. Andre Will Try to Reach It in a Balloon.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Henry Lund, consul of Norway and Sweden, has received an official communication from the Swedish minister at Washington calling his attention to the fact that Prof Andre will start in his balloon in July next to attempt to reach the north pole. The purpose of the communication was to ask the good offices of Consul Lund in spreading the news northward so as to apprise the natives to be not only on the lookout for the expedition, but should the descent be made among them to treat the voyagers kindly and render them what aid they can.

WILL SETTLE.

Great Britain and Venezuela Becoming Amicable.

The Vexatious and Threatening Boundary Dispute in a Fair Way to Final Settlement.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—It has been learned by the Associated Press that the British ambassador here, Sir Julian Pauncefote, and the Venezuelan minister in this city, Senor Andrade, have entered into direct negotiations for a settlement of the Yuruan incident, which involved the arrest of a British police official in the territory in dispute between Venezuela and Great Britain, the hauling down of the British flag and a subsequent demand for an indemnity upon the part of Great Britain.

It is impossible to learn to what stage this prospective settlement of the most important incident arising out of the dispute over the Venezuelan boundary had advanced, but there is good reason to believe that some definite announcement concerning the matter may be expected at an early day. As to the manner of conducting the negotiations, little information can be gained at this time, owing to the extreme reticence of all parties concerned, but the essential point is that Great Britain and Venezuela, whose relations have been strained so badly that there has been no diplomatic relations between them for several years, are once more in a fair way to a resumption of direct communication with each other and that a step has been taken which may pave the way to an amicable adjustment of the vexatious and threatening boundary dispute When inquiry was made at the British embassy. Sir Julian Pauncefote said that it was impossible to make any statement on the subject. Senor Andrade, the Venezuelan minister, was equally reserved, although his secretary declared that the minister had had no direct communication with the British ambassador. This would indicate that the negotiations have proceeded through an intermediary, or by correspondence.

FEARFUL EXPLOSION.

Parks Brothers' Establishment Laid in Waste.

Two Men so Badly Injured They Cannot Survive—Property to the Amount of $200,000 Destroyed.

DANBURY, Conn., March 3.—By a boiler explosion in Parks Brothers' fur cutting establishment today, a fire was caused, which did damage amounting to fully $200 000, and resulted in probably fatal injuries to two men. The explosion tore the roof from the building, a small wooden affair of two stories Edward Parks, one of the proprietors was thrown down by the explosion and frightfully burned. He may die. The building was quickly consumed, together with a sash and blind factory adjoining it. The flames communicated also with the Barnum building, the Sherman block, and other property, which was consumed. Sadie Carpenter, a tenant of an upper floor, jumped from a window and broke her thigh. Frank Eastwood, a fireman, was buried beneath a falling wall and fatally injured. There are rumors that two children are missing, but the report cannot be verified.

PENSION CASES.

Recent Rulings of the Department in Several Cases.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—A number of new rulings in pension cases are made by Assistant Secretary of the Interior Reynolds, in recent opinions. In disposing of a case of alleged disloyalty of a Tennesseean, the assistant secretary holds that involuntary service by a conscript does not, being a claimant for pension within the provisions of section 4 716 of the revised statutes. An honorable discharge from all service contracted to be performed during the war of the rebellion is held to be prerequisite to pension under the section of the act of June 27, 1890, and the appellant's desertion from the United States service in 1883 and failure to receive an honorable discharge bars his right to pension under that act This, though rejecting the claim because of desertion, reverses the action of the pension bureau which dropped the claimants from the rolls, "on the ground of disloyalty, he having previously served in the confederate army."

The naval home in Philadelphia is declared by the department to be an naval hospital within the meaning of section 4813 of the revised statutes, and pensions due to its inmates accordingly must be paid to the secretary of the navy. It is held that there is just cause for complaint by the sailors there of discrimination by act of congress in favor of the soldier inmates, but the appeal for relief is directed to congress instead of the department.

A claimant in the Eighth Missouri infantry, who was shot by a civilian in consequence of remarks made by him relative to a quarrel then in progress between the civilian and another officer of the claimant's regiment, is decided to have not been in the line of duty.

Commissioner of Pensions Lochran has informed Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood that her appeal from the action of the pension office in requiring her to refund $25 in a certain claim has been allowed and the money will be returned to her. Mrs. Lockwood had paid back the $25 and then took the appeal. It was for the retaining of this fee asserted to have been illegally paid to her that the report was circulated that she would be disbarred from practice before the pension office, but the action of the commissioner shows that there was nothing of an illegal character about the transaction.

RECORDS BROKEN.

The Coronado Beach Tracks the Scene of the Race.

W. W. Hamilton Reduces the Time in One Mile. Two-thirds of a Mile and One-third of a Mile Records.

CORONADO BEACH, Cal., March 3.—Four world's records were broken here. W. W. Hamilton, paced by Taylor, Aldridge, Miller and Vaughan on a quad, and Stone, Terrell, Washburn, Jenks, and Connibear on a quint, cut the world's record for one mile, flying start, to 1:39 1 5. A slight breeze arose shortly after the ride for the mile. Hamilton then went out, paced by the same two teams, for Barlo's two-thirds mile mark of 1:07. Hamilton rode it in :58 3 5 After resting twenty minutes he went out again for the one-third mile unpaced and cut the distance in :33 3 5 The former record was :36 1 5 Taylor and Terrell then went out for the half mile tandem record and made the distance in :52 3 5. The former record was 53 4 5. The trials were timed, judged and started by L. A. W. officials.

THE ITALIANS WHIPPED.

Repulsed by the Black Shoans in Africa.

Five Hundred Dead Soldiers Left on the Battle Field by the Retreating Army.

ROME, March 3.—It is reported here today that General Baratorie, commander of the Italian forces in Africa, who has suffered another severe reverse at the hands of the Shoans while advancing on Abbacaima, was wounded during the engagement. Full details of the battle have not been received here, but it appears that the defeat of the Italians was complete.

According to the correspondent in Africa of the Popolo Romano, half the Italian artillery and all the ammunition and provisions were lost. Other advices report that 500 of the Italian soldiers engaged in the battle were killed and that among them are Generals Albertone and Darbormodi, who commanded two of the three columns. The number of wounded is not yet stated.

During the evening a rumor ran through the city that General Baratieri, when he became aware of the full extent of the disaster, wrote a letter to his successor, General Baldissera, and then committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. At the ministry of war, however, the rumor was discredited.

BUSINESS BLOCK SOLD.

P. E. Cox Purchases the Klotz Block for $10,000.

A real estate deal of considerable importance was made on South Calhoun street yesterday. The Klotz block, on the northwest corner of Calhoun and Allen streets, was sold by the owner, Daniel Klotz, to Patrick E Coz, the well known plumber. The consideration was $10,000. The building is two stories high and two store rooms in width. It is occupied by J. M Neufer's drug store and the grocery of M. Rinehart & Co. Mr. Cox intends to remodel the building, lower the floors, put in new plate glass fronts, etc, and add to it every convenience.

Big Cat Show.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Less than 200 cats were on exhibition today at the opening of the second annual cat show in Madison Square Garden. These highly prized creatures occupied roomy cages ranged upon six long rows of tables, which flank a little stage upon which troops of trick cats will be put through their performances several times each day during the continuance of the show. The prizes, amounting in all to $1 500, will be awarded by T. Farrar Rockhem and Dr Rush Huidekoper. In addition there are a number of special prizes to be given. The show is under society auspices.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND

Will Preside at a Home Missions Meeting.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—President Cleveland, accompanied by Private Secretary Thurber, left Washington this morning for New York in a private car attached to the 11 o'clock train on the Pennsylvania road He will preside at the annual meeting of the board of Home Missions tonight. It is expected that he will arrive in New York City at 5 o'clock this afternoon. He will leave there on the return trip on the midnight train, bringing him in here at 7:20 o'clock tomorrow morning

LOCAL LINES.

The ladies of Grace Reformed church will give a Japanese social, Thursday evening.

The funeral of Mrs L. A. Cooper will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs A. Holsworth, at No. 158 West Wayne street.

Tomorrow evening, at the Wayne street M E church, Marian Harland, the distinguished author, will lecture on "Will the Coming Woman Come." She is a brilliant and interesting platform orator.

Mrs. F. A. Hitchcock received a message this morning that her father, of Spencerville, Ohio, was dying. She left for home over the Pittsburg road at noon today.

WAR WITH SPAIN

Seems to Grow Less Probable as the Days Pass.

Uncle Sam Sends His Revenue Cutters Out to Intercept Two Filibustering Expeditions.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The treasury department has sent instructions to the commanders of revenue cutters in Florida waters directing them to use every effort to intercept alleged filibustering expeditions bound for Cuba, which the Spanish authorities have reported to the state department as about to leave Alligator Key, between Key West and Tampa.

The senate committee on judiciary has not yet taken any action on the subject of the extent and power of the concurrent resolutions passed by congress and whether or not the executive has authority to veto them or whether they are merely an expression of the opinion of congress. As the resolutions relative to Cuba are concurrent, the decision of the judiciary committee on this point will be interesting It is understood that Senators Hoar and Hill, who were appointed a sub committee to consider this matter, will request the opinion of the attorney general upon the resolutions introduced by Senator Hill.

The next steps likely in congress on the Cuban resolutions depend upon whether or not the house will correct the error made by its clerk in transmitting the resolutions to the senate. If the resolutions are not recalled, the senate committee on foreign relations will probably tomorrow take up the house resolutions and amend them by reporting those already agreed to in the senate as a substitute. This will necessitate considerable deliberation in the senate with possibly motions to concur in the house resolutions or to amend them The senate committee has shown a disposition to avoid discussion and to get the resolutions into conference by waiting for the house to correct its error.

EUROPEAN NEWSPAPER COMMENTS.

PARIS, March 3.—Commenting upon the situation the Estafetto trusts that President Cleveland will "reflect before proclaiming the independence of Cuba," adding: "Spain will not allow herself to be intimidated by the arrogance of the American senate"

The Soleil says. "The Spaniards who did not tremble before Bismarck will not tremble before the Americans when the day of action arrives. Spain is strong in her independence and intractable pride and will not recede."

LONDON, March 3.—The afternoon newspapers of this city again refer at length to the Cuban situation, in which everybody here is much interested.

The Westminster Gazette says: "The American congress' action is steadily destroying not only respect abroad, but its influence in the conduct of foreign affairs, and the strange result of this rabid republicanism, is that it is daily forcing one man more and more into power."

The St. James Gazette thinks that the language of congress is "more provocative than the Barcelona disturbance," adding, "Spain is now face to face with the declared hostility of the representatives of the American people, and an immediate reply will be given by the proud Spanish race that will be creditable to their spirit and deserve the sympathy of Europe If war be the result, the jingo politicians may be surprised. We do not see where, outside of the United States, the Americans will find any support for their unlimited policy of aggression."

The Globe says: "There are other interests in Cuba beside the American, and may be there are European powers that would not quietly look on while the United States declare the remarkable Monroe doctrine which seems to forbid anybody to interfere with anything on which the eagle has its eye, while it encourages that officious bird to poke its beak into the business of everybody else"

The Pall Mall Gazette expresses the opinion that "the house of representatives has done well to smooth the rough edges of the senate's resolution. Great Britain is but remotely concerned in the business. There is the broad fact that Cuba under Spain is perpetually revolting or wanting to revolt. Nobody, therefore, is especially anxious to back Spain through thick and thin, especially through thin.'

THE TOBACCO TRADE.

Opening Gun for a War Has Been Fired.

CHICAGO, March 3.—An opening gun, expected to precipitate war in the tobacco trade, has been fired by one of the leading anti-trust concerns. Every tobacco jobber in the country, which in Chicago includes the wholesale grocery houses, has been advised by mail of a cut of three cents per pound in the price of one of the many brands of plug tobacco. The cut was made in such a way that it is plainly the design to undermine the price of the trust's cigarettes or supplant them with anti-trust goods of a similar sort.

Mrs Emma Bass, of No. 489 East Wayne street, widow of Albert Bass, who died about a year ago, has received notice that she has been granted a pension of $12 per month, together with about $250 back pay.

WESTERN SNOW STORM.

The Ground Covered From Three to Twelve Inches Deep.

OMAHA, Neb., March 3.—Dispatches from every part of Nebraska and western Iowa report a fall of snow ranging from three inches to a foot, evenly distributed, and still falling. In Omaha fully a foot has fallen and only a heavy wind is needed to convert the blinding storm into a blizzard of the worst kind. Street railway traffic is kept open only by the constant circle of the powerful sweepers

CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR

Their Names Will Head Delegate Tickets at Primaries.

The Democratic City Central Committee Meet and Adopt Rules to Regulate the Voting.

The democratic city central committee held its regular meeting last night. The preparations for the preliminaries for the city nominating convention were discussed but no date for holding it was determined upon. The following resolutions, presented by H. C. Berghoff, giving the rules for conducting the primaries, were adopted

WHEREAS, It is the desire of this committee, that every democrat of this city, at the next election of delegates to the city convention, shall have an opportunity to fully and freely express his choice for the different candidates seeking the nomination, it is hereby resolved that the following rules shall be adopted to govern at such election, to wit.

First. All votes for delegates shall be cast within the new ward boundaries as recently adopted by the city council.

Second. None but democrats shall be permitted to vote for delegates or councilmen. Challengers shall be appointed for each poll to see that this rule is strictly enforced.

Third. Not less than two voting precincts shall be established in each ward.

Fourth. No candidate or delegate shall serve in any capacity on the election board at the time of delegate elections.

Fifth. All records, tally sheets and ballots shall be delivered to and be preserved by the chairman of the city central committee until after the regular election in May.

Sixth. The ballots to be submitted to the voter shall be furnished to the inspector of each poll by the chairman of this committee, and the same shall be given by such inspector to the voter when entering the voting place. None but sample ballots shall be allowed outside, and such ballots must be of different color than the regular ballot

Seventh. Each candidate for office shall have the right to furnish to this committee, at a time to be hereafter designated, the names of such delegates he desires to place in nomination in the different wards, and when this has been done, the names of such delegates shall be placed upon the ward ticket beneath the full name of the candidate for whom they are selected.

Eighth. The ticket shall be so arranged as to read:

FOR MAYOR, J. F. Smith, DELEGATES	FOR CLERK, P. Jones, DELEGATES.
( )	( )
( )	( )
( )	( )
( )	( )

Ninth. Each democrat shall have the right to vote as follows:

He may express his choice by stamping the squares in front of the names of as many delegates as are allowed to his ward, and no more, but not stamp the names of the candidate, and such votes shall be counted for such delegate voted for.

All tickets having more names stamped than the number of delegates allowed to each ward, shall be rejected and declared void.

Tenth. Any delegate receiving more than one vote upon any one ticket shall be counted as having received but one vote—all delegates must be selected from the ward in which they reside.

Eleventh. Every delegate elected for any candidate shall be in honor bound to cast his first ballot in the nominating convention, for such candidate as he has been directed to do by the voter, but after the first ballot all delegates shall be at liberty to vote for whom they deem best.

Twelfth. Nominations for council men-at large and such candidates as are not represented by delegates upon the regular ticket, shall be made by all delegates in convention.

Thirteenth. Nominations for the councilmen of the different wards shall be made in the following manner:

First Each candidate for councilman shall present his name to the city central committee at a meeting to be held for that purpose, and all names so presented shall be placed upon the regular ward tickets.

Second The voter to express his choice shall stamp the square in front of the name of such candidate as he wishes to vote for, and every vote so cast shall be counted as directed. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared the nominee.

Fourteenth. No carriages or conveyances shall be furnished by this committee to any voting precinct, and every democrat is earnestly requested to vote at this important election.

Rev. Tatlock Dead.

STAMFORD, Conn., March 3.—Rev Tatlock, D D, secretary of the house of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church of America, is dead.

Half rates via the Nickel Plate railroad March 10th, to points in the southwest. M. C BAKER, District Passenger Agent, 2-7 No 100 Fort Wayne, Ind

Miss Minnie Wilkinson, of Montpelier, is in the city for a short visit.

ANOTHER CHAPTER

In the Doings of E. W. Quackenbush, Insurance Agent.

How R. B. Nichol Was Worked—The Outfit Went From Here to Philadelphia.

So far as known nothing has been heard of E. W. Quackenbush, the erstwhile agent for the erstwhile U. B. Mutual Aid association. THE SENTINEL a few days ago detailed his skipping the town, leaving many creditors to wonder where he was "at." Quackenbush's wife went with him, of course, and so did Mr. Doyle, the clerical looking man who was in the office with them and who seemed to be a full partner in the firm

Last summer R B Nichol, who was an experienced insurance agent out of a job, took a position with Quackenbush as solicitor. Nichol was a married man. He and his wife lived in this city. The arrangement between him and Quackenbush was that Nichol was to receive 50 per cent. of the income for the first year from all policies written by him A part of this was to be paid to Nichol from the first premium money collected from the policy holder and the rest was to come from the other payments during the year

This arrangement went along all right for some time. Nichol wrote considerable business, thinking the company sound. He received his first installment of pay for his services, but about the time the other portions of it were due him the company failed and went into the hands of a receiver. Nichol could not get another cent and he was left penniless. Then Quackenbush skipped without offering any relief and Nichol was left in a bad shape.

It seems that Mrs. Nichol suspected that Quackenbush had a scheme in view and she watched him closely. Not long ago all the carpets in the insurance office were taken up, presumably to be cleaned, but Mrs. Nichol found that they had been packed ready for shipment. Last Thursday she heard that the entire outfit intended to skip. In the evening she and her husband went to the Pittsburg depot and just as the limited was pulling out for the east they saw Quackenbush and his wife and Doyle on board the train. This, coupled with the fact that the furniture and goods belonging to the trio were shipped to Philadelphia in the name of Doyle, would indicate that they went to that city.

It is not likely that any of the crowd will ever return to Fort Wayne, because there are too many people here who are anxious for them to call and settle

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Receipts, hogs, 12,000; left over 1,600. Estimated receipts of hogs tomorrow, 23,000. Market active and generally 10c higher. Light, $3 85@4 10; mixed, $3 85@4 07½, heavy, $3 75@4 05; rough, $3.75@3.80.

Cattle, 3 000; best grades 5@10c higher, others firm. Beeves, $3 20@4.55; cows and heifers, $1.60@3 80, Texans, $2 80@3 90, stockers and feeders, $2 80@3.75

Sheep, receipts 10,000, market steady.

Hogs, official receipts yesterday, 25,920; shipments, 8,868. Sheep, 17,962; shipments, 1,992. Cattle, 13,951, shipments, 1 895.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Opening prices for wheat today were at a fractional advance, May opening at 67¼@½c Cables were considered rather favorable to holders and northwestern receipts showed a decided falling off But only a small scalping trade was doing and a declining tendency was manifested, the prices easing off gradually to 67c.

Corn was quiet and rather weak on the cold continued heavy local receipts. May opened a shade lower at 30½c and declined to 30¼c.

Oats was very dull and fluctuated but seldom. May opened fractionally lower at 21¼@½c and held at about that figure

Provisions were again strong on the small hog receipts and showed advances

May Pork opened 10c higher at $9 90, easing off to $9 87½.

May lard was quoted 2½c higher at $5 50

May ribs, 5c higher at $5 22½

CHICAGO, March 3.—Wheat—March, 65c; May, 66¼@⅜c; June, 66⅜c; July, 66¼@67.

Corn—March, 28½c May, 30½c July, 31¼@½c; Sept., 32½c.

Oats—March, 19½c, May, 21¼@½c asked; July, 21¼@½c asked.

Pork—March, $9 70, May, $9.85@87½; July, $10 00 asked

Lard—March, $5 37½ May, $5.52½, July, $5 65

Ribs—March, $5 07½; May, $5.22½@25; July, $5 32½

Society Organized.

A literary society has been organized by the members of the W. G. F. L. U., No. 6,121. Last evening Misses Alice Fitzgerald and Theresa Dierkes were initiated, after which the following program was carried out:

Vocal selections — Misses Eva, Ethel and Rose Barnett

Select readings, Longfellow's poems — Miss Minnie Phelps

Piano selections — Misses Theresa Dierkes and Amelia Zimmerman.

The next meeting will be held the 16th inst, at their hall

Wife Under Arrest.

NEW ALBANY, Ind, March 3.—Mrs Joseph Linthicum has been placed under arrest charged with murdering her husband last night The man's last words were an accusation against the woman, who, he said, had cut his throat. Arthur Withers, her brother, is also under arrest as an accessory to the crime. The couple had quarreled frequently.

THE COURTS.

Percy Everett Given One Year in the Penitentiary.

Mary Beyerlien Asks for a Divorce From Fred Beyerlien—News in the Courts.

The case of the state against Charles Siebert is set for trial in the circuit court next Monday.

The circuit court jury acquitted Edward Moran of the charge of stealing an overcoat from the Saengerbund hall.

Benedict Krock has been declared insane and will be sent to the asylum at Richmond.

William N. Laduke and Mrs Mary Driebelbiss have been licensed to wed.

Percy Everett was found guilty of petit larceny and sent to the penitentiary for one year. He had raised small amounts of money in various crooked ways.

The cases against Leonard McCrory and Ben Moth, for petit larceny at Leo, were dismissed in the superior court. The cases grew out of a frolic in which the boys were engaged.

Mary Beyerlien has began suit in the superior court for a divorce from Fred Beyerlien. She also asks for custody of child. P. B Colerick is her attorney. Beyerlien, it will be remembered, was sentenced to the penitentiary for forgery.

Alex Butler, a produce buyer on the streets, got into a dispute with a farmer named Julius Young. The farmer filed an affidavit against him for provoke before Justice Bullerman. A fine of $1 and costs was imposed and he paid.

The twenty-seven suits which were brought against the Olds Wagon works by employes, demanding back wages, have been settled, the company confessing judgment in each case. Attorneys W. C. Ryan and M. H. Bohen represented the plaintiffs. The judgments as separately rendered are: Charles Rose, $35 40, Owen Schoonover, $21.85; W. Wilder, $10 50; W. C. Ewing, $37.35, H. W. Chapin, $26 23; G. W. Reutschler, $26 45; John Norwald, $36 50, Jos. Burge, $42 75; Fred K. Dorcey, $13; Jules Catiez, $38 12, James Taylor, $15 15; Jno. Linton, $35 20 Harry E. Austin, $51.05, Clarence E. Austin, $30 Frank Castle, $31; Joseph Deppler, $56 25; Thomas Lloyd, $20 50; Fred K. Johnson, $22 50; Phillip Perry, $11 50, James Smith, $17 87, Allen Sinclair, $46 23 John Fealtera, $12. Gus Snyder, $6 18 Mike Curran, $1 70

PATCHED UP.

Republican Candidates for Nation Delegate

Must Furnish Their Own Tickets. All Alike—No Australian Ballot at the Primary Election.

The row among the republican candidates for the position of delegate to the national convention, as told in THE SENTINEL yesterday, has apparently been patched up.

The city central committee held a meeting yesterday afternoon but Chairman Everett and some of the candidates were not present, therefore it was decided to hold another meeting this forenoon. This was for the purpose of making some kind of an arrangement about the primary election that would be satisfactory, and to settle the controversy that had sprung from the protest filed by C. D. Law against the Australian ballot system.

At the meeting this forenoon C. D. Law and Frank Alderman, both candidates, were present in person. R. W. Skelton was represented by C. B. Fitch and R. T. McDonald had Billy Wilson and Kelly McCracken there in his interest. Phil Dickinson was not present

The committee wrestled with the knotty problem of how to fix the thing so as to satisfy everybody and they finally came to a decision.

The election will not be held under the Australian system. Each candidate will furnish his own tickets, but they must all be of a uniform size, three inches by five inches, and must all be printed on white paper.

The plan was thoroughly discussed and after all had had their say, the candidates agreed to the arrangements and the meeting adjourned.

Phil Dickinson is no longer a candidate for national delegate. If Harrison had remained in the field as a candidate for president he would have entered the race for delegate, but Harrison's withdrawal caused Dickinson to stay out.

The candidates this morning all received a letter from the secretary of the city republican central committee stating that if they wanted their names on the tickets at the primary election they should please at once send in $20 apiece entrance fee.

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For Every Disease and Affliction But One.

A prominent physician was recently asked, why it was that there are so many "blood purifiers," "nerve tonics" and remedies for every ill, except one of the most common and annoying, viz: piles He replied, there are two principal reasons first, physicians and people in general, have thought that the only permanent cure for piles was a surgical operation, that medicinal preparations were simply palliative. Another reason is, that piles is, in no sense of the word, an imaginary disease, the sufferer from piles is very much aware of the fact, and for this reason, the few so-called pile salves, ointments, etc, have been short lived. The patient very soon discovered their inefficiency

He says further, "fortunately however, there is a new remedy for piles, which judging from its rapidly growing popularity will soon take the place of all other treatment; it has certainly made astonishing cures in this obstinate disease and its merit has made it famous among physicians and wherever it has been introduced. This remedy is sold by all druggists under the name of Pyramid Pile Cure.

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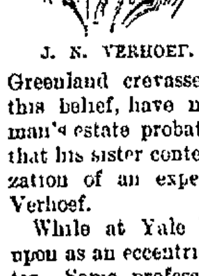
FAITH IN VERHOEF.

His Yale Classmates Think He May Have Climbed the Pole.

Some of his classmates and intimate friends at New Haven are inclined to think that if the north pole has been reached by any one John N. Verhoef, the missing member of Lieutenant Peary's first expedition, is just the sort of man to accomplish that feat. Verhoef's relatives have always declined to believe that he was lost in a Greenland crevasse, and, acting under this belief, have never had the young man's estate probated It is even said that his sister contemplates the organization of an expedition to search for Verhoef.



J. N. VERHOEF.

While at Yale Verhoef was looked upon as an eccentric and unique character. Some profess to believe that he joined Peary's party with the express idea of abandoning it and setting out on his own account to make "the farthest north "

It is said that he frequently stated aboard Peary's vessel that he could live as the Eskimos do—on blubber—and some believe he left the party with the determination to make this experiment

Lieutenant Peary has believed from the first that Verhoef lost his life in a crevasse.—New York Recorder.

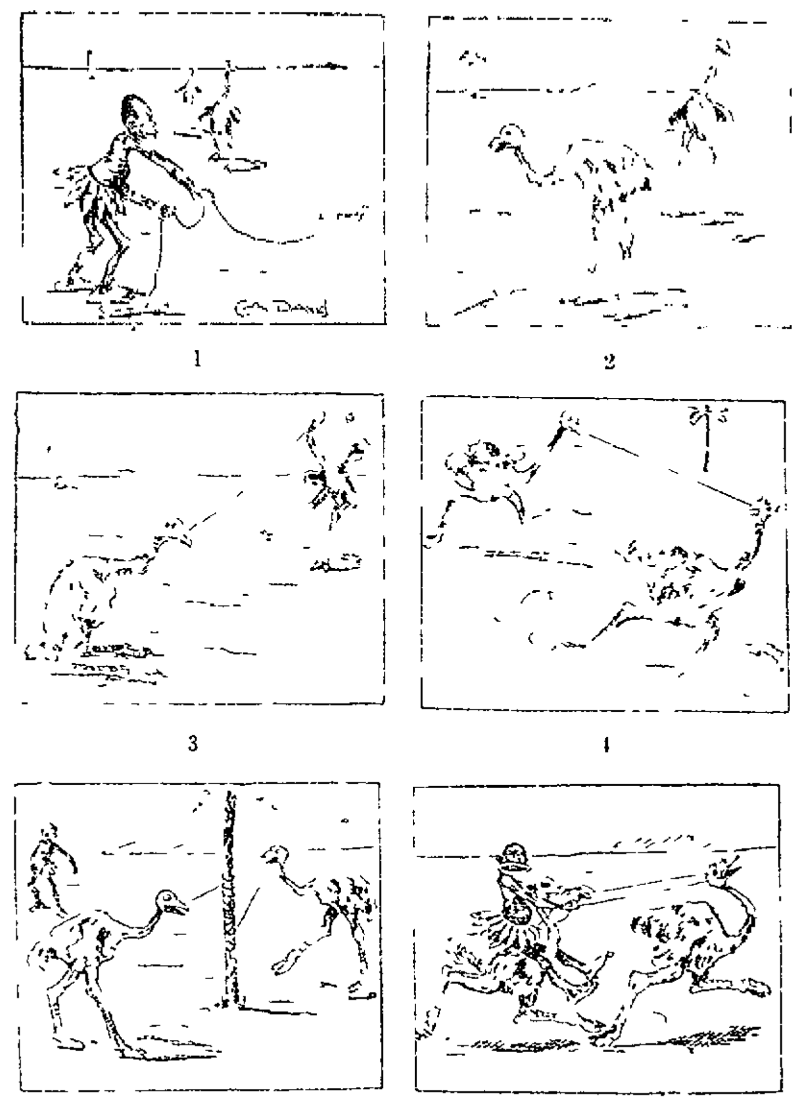
To Glorify Monroe.

On the evening preceding the Michigan Democratic state central convention, to be held on April 29, there will be a monster mass meeting to commemorate the birthday of President Monroe, in which some Democrats of national prominence will be asked to participate.

A Turkish Fit.

The sultan's punishment may eventually fit his crime, but it will probably be a baggy, Turkish fit.—Detroit Tribune.

TANDEM DRIVING IN AFRICA.



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SHOP AND RAIL.

The Bass Blacksmith Shop Increases Its Force.

Brakeman McCarthy Loses a Thumb on His First Trip Out—Personal and Local Gossip.

Nickel Plate Fireman John Ranks is off duty on account of sickness

Fireman Joe Hartman, of the Nickel Plate, is taking a short vacation.

L F. Loree, general manager, is putting in ten days in inspecting the Panhandle system

The Hon C B Stuart, of Lafayette, chief counsel for the Wabash, was in the city yesterday.

A D Cressler has returned from New York, where he closed some large contracts for the Kerr Murray works

W. C Norton, telegraph operator, has gone to South Whitley to take charge of the Nickel Plate telegraph office

The Pulman company is building seven of its most modern sleeping cars for service on the Chicago and Rock Island.

General Manager Turner, of the Vandalia, has begun a retrenchment move by abolishing a number of telegraph offices

The Erie people are making arrangements to lay a second track on the main line from Hornellsville to Salamance.

C B Van Meter has recovered from an illness which kept him from his train duties two weeks He is a Nickel Plate brakeman

Nickel Plate Conductor Beidler, who was rusticating ten days, came in from the country yesterday, and resumed charge of his train,

J. P. Seibold and William Bonsman, boilermakers, have gone to Toledo, Ohio, to put in new flues in the stationary boiler in the Wabash car shops

F P. Fox, for years past traveling passenger agent of the Lackawanna, is to be appointed land and tax agent of the company for the Buffalo division

The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton and the Monon, in February, sold the largest number of mileage books of any month in the history of either line.

The directors of the Pennsylvania have decided to issue their monthly report on the 28th of each month, instead of earlier that the statements may be more complete.

Ernest Dooling, night car inspector for the Nickel Plate, is suffering with a severe attack of tonsilitis and is off duty. Fred Bearbaum, of the day force, has taken Mr. Dooling's place.

First Vice President McCrea and General Passenger Agent Ford, of the Pennsylvania company, on Saturday returned from New York, where they had been attending meetings for several days

Mrs. W. A. Maddux, who was so severely injured by a fall two months ago, is now sitting up a short time each day and is gaining strength rapidly Mr Maddux is the Nickel Plate's wreck foreman.

D. F. McCarthy, a Nickel Plate brakeman, had the end of his right thumb pinched off at Dunfee Saturday night It was Mr. McCarthy's first trip out, he having just entered the service of the company.

Charles F. Henry, an axle maker, late of Akron, Ohio, has taken a position at the Bass blacksmith shop and will have charge of the large steam car axle hammer and crew at nights. For some time the hammer was in operation only during the daytime, but business is so brisk that it has become necessary to double the force and keep the machinery in operation twenty out of the twenty-four hours

R Ormiston, Gus Weise and James Blake have taken positions in the Bass blacksmith shop.

W. H Cherry, the well known Pittsburg boiler maker, has recovered from his recent illness

E B. Moore and C Schneider, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are off duty on account of sickness

John Klingenberger, of Force street, is the papa of a pretty girl baby He is a Pittsburg shopman

H. Weist, of the Bass blacksmith shop, is still quite sick. He has been bedfast for over two weeks.

Division No 18, ladies' auxiliary to the B of L E, will meet tomorrow evening for the election of officers

C Hoepner, who had a foot hurt two weeks ago, resumed his work in the Pittsburg lumber yards this morning.

G. M Johnson, of the Pittsburg copper shop, went to Anderson, Ind, today to institute a lodge of the Golden Eagle

During the past year there were turned out in this country 1 268 081 tons of steel rails, against 901,020 tons in 1894.

John Michelson is moving his family and household goods from Knox to Fort Wayne He is a Nickel Plate fireman.

Switchman David Prim, of Pittsburg engine 189, is the proud father of a baby boy, who tips the beam at ten and one-half pounds

The shipments from the electric works today were a power motor to the Toledo Supply company and a motor to M. Weill, New York

There was a slight accident at the east yards yesterday morning, in which several cars were derailed Traffic was blocked for a couple of hours.

James Hardigan, passenger engineer on the Nickel Plate, is sick and off duty. Engineer John Cook, of the same road, is taking a few days' rest.

The Southern railway has purchased an extensive piece of ground in Salisbury, N. C, on which to erect shops which will give employment to 300 men.

L Gronau, F. Gephard and V. Burger, of the Pittsburg shops, are off duty. Gephard has a sick child and the other two men are suffering with bad colds.

The annual report of President Roberts, of the Pennsylvania lines, was on Friday submitted to the board of directors, and will be published in a few days

J. P Hays, a Wabash engineer, has returned from Montreal and resumed his duties on the road Mr. Hays is a nephew of the general manager of the Grand Trunk road

Contractor Fred H Boester has secured the contract to build the addition to the Sunday school part of the Wayne street M E church, the work to be completed as soon as possible

The steam hammers in the Pittsburg shops which are operated by James Trythall and Frank Girard and their crews resumed work this morning after being thoroughly overhauled and repaired

J F Lee has been appointed to take charge of the Canadian Pacific's passenger business in Chicago territory, with the title of general agent, passenger department, with headquarters at 232 South Clark street

John Toole, C. C Dickman and F Garber, locomotive firemen, have quit the Nickel Plate and will seek work elsewhere. Mr Garber has gone to his old home in Pennsylvania Business on the railroads is very light at present.

Engineer Louis Balzer rode the Maccabee goat last night and consequently was not able to take his run out on the Nickel Plate today By frequent applications of arnica to various bruises he hopes to be able to resume work to morrow

Jacob Waldschmidt reports a new baby girl at his home He is an employe of the Pittsburg planing mills, but felt so happy over the addition to his family that he asked permission to remain at home today and enjoy his new daughter's company.

Operator Gilson, of the Nickel Plate yard office, has resumed work after a week spent with relatives at Pleasant Mills, Ind. During their sojourn in that village Mrs Gilson, whose parents reside there, presented her husband with a bouncing baby girl.

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It is stated that as a result of the conference of Receiver Pierce, of the Toledo, St Louis and Kansas City, and General Freight Agent Weed with the managers of the Joint Traffic association, the road, though not a member, is to co-operate with it in maintaining rates.

The Silverine orchestra was organized last night. It is composed of the following gentlemen, several of whom are Pittsburg shopmen and all residents of the Tenth ward Matt Young manager, J Smith P Smith Joseph Nern E Rosenberger, M Freiberger, George Alter, A. Walker and A Falmer. The orchestra expects to be ready for business in a few weeks

Last Saturday was the eleventh birthday of James Nicholson, the general yard foreman of the Nickel Plate He was born February 29 1856, and though forty winters have come and gone since that date, only eleven of his birthdays have passed Mr and Mrs Nicholson decided to make the anniversary the occasion for a social gathering and upon their invitation about twenty five persons many of them employes of the Nickel Plate yards and offices, assembled at the home of the couple, 24 Boone street, Saturday evening, and were royally entertained A five course supper was served and after the feast the hours were devoted to cards and games of various kinds The guests presented Mr Nicholson with a handsome table, while Mrs Nicholson presented him with a gold watch chain It was a most pleasant affair and will long be remembered by host, hostess and guests.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION

Official Call Issued by the District Chairman.

At a meeting, composed of the chairmen of the democratic central committees of the several counties of the Twelfth congressional district and the district committeeman, held at Fort Wayne, on the 8th day of January, 1896 it was determined that the convention for the nomination of a democratic candidate for congress, to represent the district, would be held at the opera house in the city of Kendallville, on

TUESDAY APRIL 7TH 1896

at 2 o'clock p m All delegates heretofore elected, or such as may be hereafter elected to said convention are requested to take notice and be present at the convention at the time and place above stated, without further notification Democrats generally are requested to be present The representation for the several counties is as follows, and is based upon one delegate for each one hundred and fractions of fifty votes and over cast for Claude Matthews for governor in 1892

Allen	61
DeKalb	31
Noble	23
LaGrange	11
Steuben	1[illegible]
Whitley	2[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

THOS R MARSHALL, District Chairman

Richmond Evening Item "One of the things that is most influential in keeping other telephones out of the field occupied by the Bell company is that there is a tremendous expense attached to the business in the way of keeping up with all the improvements that are made in appliances and apparatus and only a company that is backed by a tremendous capital can give a satisfactory service They have been in the field for years and are familiar with every detail of the business and have the advantage all the time of the inside track There will never be any successful competition, probably, along this line until the question of the patent on the telephone instrument is settled by the supreme court If it is decided that the patent has expired and the manufacture of the instruments is open to the world, then there will be a chance for the successful competition New switch boards are now being made for the local exchange, as the ones they have, while comparatively new, are out of date"

A New Church Roof From Butter.

St Augustine's Roman Catholic church, Kalamazoo, Mich, is going to build a new roof out of butter Strange as it may appear, it will be water tight and sound as steel The idea is this Every parishioner who feels so disposed will deny himself the use of butter during Lent, and the money that would otherwise go for butter will build the roof Other parishioners will abstain from certain pleasures and raise a fund for fresco work

"Why," demanded the Circassian beauty petulantly, "do you always eat pie with a knife?"

The sword swallower glared at her malignantly

"To take the taste out of my mouth, of course," he retorted, and all was still —Detroit Tribune

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LIST OF CHAMPIONS

In the Various Classes in the Pugilistic Arena.

Base Ball Items of Local Interest—Bicycle News—Horse Notes—Trap Shooters

The following list shows the present pugilistic champions

World's Heavyweight—(?)

World's Middleweight—Robert Fitzsimmons

World's Lightweight—Jack McAuliffe

World's Featherweight—George Dixon

World's Bantamweight—Pedlar Palmer

American Heavyweight—(?)

American Middleweight — Robert Fitzsimmons

American Welterweight — Tommy Ryan (Joseph Young)

American Lightweight—Jack McAuliffe

American Featherweight — George Dixon

American Bantamweight — Jimmy Barry

English Heavyweight—Peter Jackson

English Middleweight—Jim Hall

English Welterweight—Dick Burge

English Featherweight—Bill Baxter

English Bantamweight—Pedlar Palmer

Australian Heavyweight—Peter Jackson

Australian Middleweight—Dan Creedon

Australian Welterweight—Tom Tracey

Australian Lightweight—Tom Williams

Australian Featherweight—Al Griffiths (Young Griffo)

Australian Bantamweight—Abe Willis

THE MICHIGAN LEAGUE

The Michigan Base Ball league was formally organized by electing W H Mumby, of Corunna president secretary and treasurer, and George H Brown of Port Huron, vice president The cities in the circuit are Saginaw Port Huron, Lansing Jackson Adrian and Kalamazoo Manistee and Muskegon will be admitted to the committee, making a short jump circuit of eight clubs

The salary limit is $600 per month, and the league will join class B so as to secure reservation The season will open May 15 and last four months and it is thought on the limit all the clubs will stay it out Sunday ball playing will be optional with the clubs

BILLIARDS DECLINING.

Jake Schaefer, who is playing exhibition games in Boston, regrets the decadence of billiards He said "Billiards why there are no e my more There are no players In the good old days twenty years ago every city over 10 000 inhabitants had an aspirant for the championship and those players had no time to go around the country and give exhibitions And they were all good players, too George Slosson is under contract with a billiard table company and he is practically out of the game as far as tournaments are concerned Ives thinks that he has won all the laurels he cares for on this side, and has gone across to Spain to defeat foreign players"

MINOR NOTES

Charley Mitchell may be on the Inter State league staff

Frank Robison is said to be the sole backer of the Fort Wayne club

Ed Miles, the shortstop of last year's St Joe team, has been signed by Toledo

George D Gideon has accepted the chairmanship of the L A W. racing board

Catcher William Holmes has been elected catcher of the Ann Arbor university team

P C Wood, of Detroit won Class A medal in the Michigan Gun club shoot, scoring twenty targets straight

Manager Moreland, of the Wheeling team, accepted the terms of Barney McGarvey, who pitched last year for Toronto

Manager Torre on is after Pitcher Gray, of last year's Titusville team Gray is an excellent twirler and would materially strengthen the Toledo club in the box

The Fleischmanns believe Ha'ma will be greater in his four year old form than he was last year, and that he will again make a name for himself when he begins to race

Johnson, Murphy, Bald, Elliott, Zimmerman and other crack bicycle riders will go to Europe for the coming season They claim they can make more money over there

James Reilly, a St Louis professional, has accepted the terms of the Washington, Pa, club, of the Inter State league. He is a pitcher and infielder of experience and will, no doubt, do good work this season.

Owing to a clash of dates for the second week of May the executive committee of the Ohio State Trap Shooters' league have decided to hold their annual tournament at Dayton, O, on June 9, 10 and 11

The Westinghouse Electric company, of McKeesport, Pa, are said to be back ing a scheme to manufacture bicycles to be propelled by electricity The wheels are to be so constructed that the rider is not compelled to do any thing but steer, a storage battery doing the work of propelling the machine along

The report that Taral will ride Halma in the spring handicaps is a little premature He has been asked what his terms would be to ride the horse, but has not yet replied, not having consulted Mr Byrnes and Mr Marcus Daly on the subject It is probable that he will ride Halma provided he gets the permission of his employers

Count Magri Mrs Tom Thumb's husband whose height is thirty inches and whose age is forty seven has placed an order for what will be the smallest bicycle on record The wheel will be fourteen inches the frame twelve inches and it will only weigh ten pounds Special dies will have to be made When the count was told that it would cost him $200 he threw up his hands but the countess put up the cash

HILL AND NETHERSOLE.

The Statesman Said to Be Engaged to the Great Kissing Actress.

In Dame Rumor's [illegible] ductions, David B Hill has really made up his mind to give [illegible] to talk [illegible] that the Empire State's senator is engaged to marry Miss Olga Nethersole,

MISS OLGA NETHERSOLE

who, you know, is the tall and good looking English woman who is at present earning fame and a fair number of dollars in a dramatic tour of this country

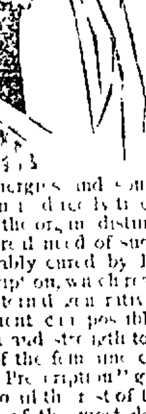
Miss Nethersole is a very clever actress, and I understand that the senator has been paying her more or less devoted attentions ever since their first meeting which was a year ago in New York The wedding is said to be fixed for June and will be solemnized at the bride's home in one of the aristocratic suburbs of London

I give you this news for what it is worth, but it was given to me by a man who is in a position to know what [illegible] —Washington Times

NO WOMEN SINGERS.

Barred Out of Catholic Churches by a Recent Vatican Order

[illegible] church, [illegible] Rome [illegible] in Rome, forbidding the use of women choristers and soloists —New York Journal



[illegible] the energies and [illegible] disposition of women [illegible] There is no real need of such troubles, they are invariably cured by Dr Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which reaches and strengthens the internal generative organs as no other treatment can possibly do By restoring health and strength to this most important part of the feminine constitution the "Favorite Prescription" gives new tone and energy to all the rest of the body

One of the most deeply interesting and truly educative books ever written is the "People's Common Sense Medical Adviser" by Dr R V Pierce Chief Consulting Physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute Buffalo, N Y This splendid volume of 1008 pages, including ninety pages on the subject of diseases [illegible] treatment [illegible] so-called, [illegible] most [illegible] of the human physiology, and the rational principle of hygiene ever published Illustrated with over 300 engravings, [illegible] complete medical library in one volume No other medical book in the English language ever had such an enormous sale 680,000 copies were sold at $1.50 each Dr Pierce is now distributing a new free edition of half a million copies A copy will be sent *absolutely free* to anyone who will send to the World's Dispensary Medical Association Buffalo, N Y 21 one cent stamps to pay cost of mailing *only* The present edition is in all respects the same as that sold at $1.50 except only that it is bound in strong manilla paper covers instead of cloth.

Half rates via the Nickel Plate railroad March 10th to points in the southwest M C Bays, 2 7 District Passenger Agent No 110 Fort Wayne Ind

Among the [illegible] of the statesmen of Europe

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

State Senator

[illegible] W S CANDY

For Sheriff.

[illegible]

For Mayor

[illegible] H H McDon[illegible] Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne [illegible] MANY DEMOCRATS

[illegible] SIDNEY C LUMBARD

[illegible] H E SCHLEIT

[illegible] CHAUNCEY L OAKLEY

For City Clerk

[illegible] FRED F LEINEKE

For Councilman.

[illegible] H G SHERMAN

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G. E. BURSLEY & CO.

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WANTED [illegible]

WANTED [illegible]

WANTED A [illegible] work 32 S W Washington st 12

WANTED Anyone can borrow money on [illegible] furniture See advertisement, front page, first column 4 tf

WANTED [illegible]

WANTED [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] 12

WANTED Parties [illegible]

WANTED Ladies to call on Madam [illegible] the only reliable clairvoyant and fortune teller in the world Office and residence No 28 Chicago street Fort Wayne, Ind Price 50 25tf

WANTED Everybody to attend [illegible] on the dollar [illegible]

WANTED [illegible]

FOR RENT.

HAVE YOU ANY VACANT HOUSES OR flats? You can find tenants quickly with in [illegible] of the SENTINEL

FOR RENT One suit of unfurnished front rooms at 156 E. Berry 17 tf

FOR RENT Furnished [illegible] West Washington street 20 [illegible]

FOR RENT [illegible] Calhoun street 22

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house goods etc See advertisement first column first page. 11 tf

FOR RENT [illegible]

FOR RENT OR SALE [illegible]

FOR SALE.

[illegible]

FOR SALE Money to loan on [illegible] See advertisement first page first column 19 tf

FOR SALE [illegible]

FOR SALE A Crane elevator as good as new Suitable for a five story building. Enquire this office tf

FOR SALE [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible]

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[illegible] ROMY & BOBILYA, room 22 Bank block

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OUR HAT DEPARTMENT is a special feature of our business

We at all times show the correct styles in both Soft and Stiff Hats, and buying in case lots for our many branches, we derive advantages which we offer to our customers that is impossible to obtain from the exclusive hatter

Our new Spring shapes have arrived and the product of every Large Manufacturer is represented in our stock

IN FEDORA'S

We are prepared to show a variety of colors at prices ranging from

$1.00 to $3.00

Don't fail to investigate our stock this Spring. We will guarantee you a saving from 1-3 to 1-2 of your hatters prices.

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Trains Run by Central Time

Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station Fort Wayne, Ind.

East Bound.	West Bound.
* 3 40 a m	* 6 3 a. m.
* 8 52 a. m. Pt un Cul	* 1 10 a. m. Limited
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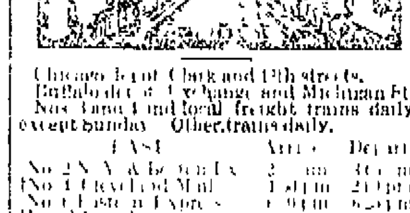

Chicago Joint Clark and 12th streets. Buffalo depot Exchange and Michigan St Nos 1 and 4 and local freight trains daily except Sunday Other trains daily.

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Nos 1 and 5 through drawing room and sleeping cars for Chicago Nos 2 and 4 drawing room sleeping cars through to New York and Boston. DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos 5 and 2 [illegible] Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains [illegible] Baggage checked through to destination For rates and other information call on or address B L Horner Gen Pass Agt Cleveland O A W Johnston Gen Supt Cleveland O M C Baker District Pass Agt, Ft Wayne

★ Wabash R. R. ★

No.	GOING EAST.	DEPARTS.
42	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily	4 48 a. m.
70	Local Freight, Except Sunday	6:00 a. m.
46	Kan City & Toledo Ex, ex. Sun.	1 15 p. m.
44	Fast Mail & Express, daily	7 12 p. m.
34	Lafayette Acc., ex Sunday	11:03 a. m.
	GOING WEST.	
45	St. Louis Express, daily	1 25 a. m.
41	Kan City Cannon Ball, ex. Sun	1 25 p. m.
43	St. Louis Limited, daily	5 38 p. m.
33	Lafayette Acc., ex Sunday	4 20 p. m.

FINDLAY FORT WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD

STATIONS

Leave EAST.

Ft Wayne Mxd 32 8 15 am 3 0pm 6 5am
Haviland 11 am 3 5 pm 6 0 am
Cloverdale 12 am 4 0pm 8 3 am
Ottawa 2 0 am 4 43pm 9 01 am
Arrive
Toledo (C. H. & D) 7 15 pm 10 15am
Findlay 1 5 am 5 0pm 9 47am
Arrive WEST
Ft Wayne Mxd 31 10 5 am 7 00pm 4 00pm
Haviland 9 5 am 5 0pm 1 5 pm
Cloverdale 9 0 am 5 19pm 12 35 pm
Ottawa 8 20 am 1 45pm 11 00 am
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Toledo (C. H & D) 6 4 am 2 57 pm
Findlay 7 15 am 4 0 pm 8 3 pm
Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne All trains daily except Sundays

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

NORTHBOUND LEAVE

*For Grand Rapids and North [illegible]

From Richmond [illegible]

SOUTHBOUND

*For Richmond and Cincinnati [illegible]

From Grand Rapids [illegible]
From Grand Rapids 11 25 am

*Daily All other trains daily except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

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Cheap Meals served to women.

Young Women's Christian Association.

NOON REST,

24 West Washington Street.

Breakfast, 6 30 to 8 Dinner 11 to 2 Supper 5 5 to [illegible]

HUMANE SOCIETY NOTICE.

All parties having knowledge of acts of cruelty to animals or children will [illegible] the Fort Wayne Humane society by telephoning or writing such information to Officer Schlandroff 82 Clinton street Telephone No 55

FREE DISPENSARY.

Open every day from 8 a. m. to 9 a. m. at the Fort Wayne College of Medicine, 103 W. Superior street. Medicines free to the poor Patients too sick to come to the Dispensary will be visited at their home

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

INSURANCE.

JAMES E. GRAHAM, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Abstractor of Titles. Insurance Real Estate Loan Collecting and Rental Agent Room 25 Bank Block Fort Wayne, Ind

D. C FISHER Insurance Real Estate, Loans. No. 32 East Berry street Fort Wayne, Indiana.

S. C. LUMBARD, Insurance, Real Estate and Loans. Aveline House Block.

BANKS

HAMILTON NATIONAL BANK, Capital $200 000, Surplus $225,000. The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of three (3) per cent per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months President—Charles McCulloch, Cashier John Mohr, Jr.

White National Bank Capital & Surplus, $235,000. Pays 3 per cent interest per annum on time deposits. Safe deposit boxes for rent at $5 per annum.

PHYSICIANS.

DOCTOR LUELLA DERBYSHIRE Office and Residence No. 30 West Superior Street. Specialty—Diseases of Women Hours 8 to 10, 1 p. m., and 7 to 9 p. m.

DR WM. D. RUHL, Office and Residence 454 Calhoun St. Hours 7 to 9 a m 12 to 2 p m, 6 to 9 p m Telephone 371.

DR. B. GARD—To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex, may consult me free of charge at my office 13 W. Wayne St. Telephone 245.

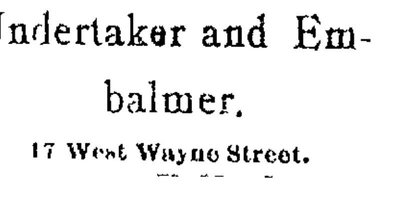
G. W BOWEN M D Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office hours for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12. Office No. 13 West Main street Fort Wayne, Ind. Special attention paid to chronic diseases.

DR H W NEISWONGER. Physician and Surgeon. Specialist in all Acute or Chronic diseases Special attention given to all private diseases and Diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys Office 31 Calhoun street Fort Wayne Indiana Office Hours from 6 a. m. to 9 p. m

DRUGGIST.

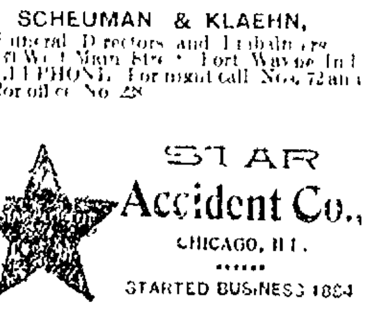
GROSS & PELLENS. DRUGGISTS. Corner Calhoun and Wayne Sts. Phone 1[illegible]

J. C. Peltier.



Undertaker and Embalmer.

17 West Wayne Street.



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T. S. QUINCEY, Sec'y and Treas. P. O. Drawer 150, Chicago.

Interest Never Flags in This Store,

And the woman who desires to keep thoroughly posted on the new things for Spring, wants to make daily visits. A number of quite pretty

Spring Capes

Came to us Saturday and we have them ready for showing. They are made of Velvets, Velours and Cloths. Cloth Capes in Black, Navy and Tan, richly embroidered in Persian effects, $1.50 each up to $12.00.

Velour Capes, trimmed with Jets and the New Spangled effects, $7 to $25.

Velvet Capes, trimmed with Jets in Colors and Blacks, and Spangled effects, $6 to $14.

Wrappers

At $1 00—made of standard quality of calico, made welt, full skirt trimmed with ruffles and herring bone braids. Better ones at $1 50.

At $2 00—made of English percales The most excellent and best fitting wrapper ever made To this line we call special attention. Better qualities in this make at $2 50, $3 00 and up to $5.

At $2 00—made of dimities, with embroidered collar and cuffs. Better lines of dimities up to $5 each.

Rogers' Knives and Forks.

At $1 25 a set of one half dozen we will close out all knives and forks in the store. They are Rogers' make, fine silver plate and warranted for years. The actual value of these are $1.88 up to $2 50 per set You will find them at Jewelry case

Men's Neckwear.

New Neckwear just from the makers. 'Twill be the chance for the pick for easter.

Men's New Teeks, 25 to 50c
Men's New Bows, 25 to 50c.
Men's New DeJoinvilles, 18c.

Imperial Paper Patterns.

This paper pattern which has sprung into popular favor is going to be THE pattern of the day. It is the best in this country. Sheets for March ready.

BLACK BEAUTIES.

Black Dress Stuffs come in—handsome, we can say extra, and for the qualities, low in prices. All wool black Crepons a different crinkle from any yet seen, for summer and spring use The weight. Three lines 75c, 90c and $1.00

WHEEL WEARS in Black Serges, 54 inches wide, strong, good looking, for women using wheels. Three prices, 75c, 85c and $1

Black Serges.

The blacks are perfect. Two lines with a little cotton mixed in 20 and 25c. Four lines, all wool, every thread. We help you to see the blacks by putting them in the strongest light. These 4 lines. 30, 35, 40 50c

Comfortables

For spring and summer use, made of silkolines, extra large sizes, south down filled, or, properly speaking filled with very fine fluffy cotton, making them feel like down filled. Prices $2, $2.50 $3.50.

Onyx Stockings.

18c, or 3 pairs for 50c. Is one grade we call special attention to.

Fast Blacks, 10c, 3 for 25c.
Fast Blacks, 12½c pair.

Look at these three lines.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO

THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 495 and they will call for your work.

16 ARCADE,
Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Rev D F. Kain, of Monroeville, has been granted letters patent on a power ditch digger. The machine is drawn by two horses and digs a tile ditch as fast as the horses walk.

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Two choice lots on Rivermet avenue, corner of Oneida street, for sale at a great bargain if taken before March 15th Enquire of W. V. Douglass, Schmitz block. 29.4

Miss Helen Hoenfelds has returned from Columbia City, where she was visiting the Misses Daniels and attending the Charity ball

OUR ANNUAL MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

$1.48

For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $2 00 to $2 50.

$1.98

For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3.00 and $3.50; we have all sizes of each pattern.

$2.48

For Men's all wool Pants in fancy worsteds, black cheviots and cassimeres in elegant patterns and finely made. These would be cheap at $3.50 and $4.00.

$2.98

For Men's fine Pants in all fabrics and styles, that are worth $4.00 and $4.50 of anyones money.

$3.48

For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4 50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 173.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—For Indiana Snow tonight and Wednesday colder Wednesday, brisk northeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs Herman Berghoff is very low.

Born to Mr and Mrs John Nehr, of Pontiac street—a son.

A Oppenheim a merchant of Bluffton, was in the city today on business.

Miss Hattie Drake, of Hartford City, is the guest of her brother, Henry Drake.

Mrs. J. M Henry will give a progressive pedro at her home on Friday evening

Burr Glenn, of Huntington, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs William Glenn

Mr and Mrs John Dickman, of 117 Boone street, were presented with a leap year son Saturday.

M E Burns the proprietor of The Post, has returned from Indianapolis, where he spent Sunday.

Miss Frankie Juliard went to Chicago this morning to study spring styles and fashions in dress making.

Miss Jeanetta Fulton, of San Francisco, Cal, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. E. Collett, of 40 Brackenridge street.

The Wit and Wisdom club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs F. H. Poole, No. 31 West Creighton avenue.

The Humane society holds its annual meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Officers will be elected.

Mrs. A. D. Guild will give a thimble party tomorrow afternoon in honor of her guests, Mrs. W. H. Hatfield and Mrs. M. A. Poole.

The Elks minstrels meet tomorrow night for rehearsal. The company is progressing nicely with the program and the entertainment promises to be first-class.

Home lodge No 342 F. & A. M., met this afternoon at 1 o'clock. A large number of candidates were to receive the Master Mason's degree and the work will continue far into the night. Supper will be served at the lodge room at 7 o'clock this evening.

Columbia City Post: "Mrs Scantling, who has been visiting for the past week with friends in this city returned home to Fort Wayne this afternoon.—Miss Buchman returned to Fort Wayne today after spending a couple of weeks in this city the guest of Miss Mame Clugston."

The entertainment given by Edwards camp No 3 127, of the Order of Modern Woodmen, at their hall on Court street last night, was attended by a large crowd, who thoroughly enjoyed themselves. A fine program was rendered and afterward the ladies served refreshments.

Bluffton News "W D Seaton, night mailing clerk of the Fort Wayne postoffice, is visiting among friends here for a few days—Miss Millie Plessinger went to Fort Wayne this morning to visit a week with friends—Mrs. A F. Bly of Fort Wayne spent Sunday with her husband in this city."

The board of public safety had a meeting last night, and investigated some charges that were made against Policeman Knock by Charles Snyder, of Wilmot, Ind. Snyder claimed that a few nights ago he was in the parlor of the Harmon house when Officer Knock came in and laid down on a sofa and went to sleep and snored so loud that it disturbed Snyder. The board made an investigation and found that Knock did not go to sleep in the place, therefore he was acquitted of the charges

The membership contest at the Y. M. C. A is creating much excitement among the participants who are working hard to win the prize The prizes to be given the successful contestants are now on exhibition at the association parlors. The first prize, a handsome Smalley wheel, worth $100, was donated by the Randall Cycle company the second, a valuable gold watch, was donated by August Bruder; Golden & Patterson donated a $25 suit of clothes for the third prize and the proprietors of the Hoosier Shoe store have given a pair of shoes as one of the other prizes The other prizes are a $12 membership ticket in the association, a $5 cane and umbrella by the U S clothing house, a fine mackintosh by the Bell Clothing house, a sweater by the Friend's Enterprise, a carom board by the Temple of Economy, and a membership ticket in the junior department

Hot House Lettuce and Pineapples for This, Tuesday Afternoon.

Nice Fresh Lettuce, large bunches, 18c lb
Havana Pineapples, 20c each.
Valencia Oranges 20c dozen.
California Oranges, 35c dozen.
Best Messina Lemons, 20c dozen.
Malaga Grapes, large bunches, 25c lb
Jersey Cranberries, 6c and 8c qt

FRUIT HOUSE.

The Young Women's society of the First Presbyterian church will give a musical at the church Friday evening, April 10.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures. 1tf

The Frost & Faushawe Co. commenced a week's engagement at the Empire last night to an audience so large that many were turned away long before the rise of the curtain. The company is one of the strongest repertoire companies on the road. They appear in a different play ever night Tonight they appear in the funny comedy "The Country Postmaster" The managers will admit ladies free tonight again if accompanied by a paid ticket.

Mrs. L. H. Hamilton and Miss Agnes Hamilton, are in the east.

John W. Fawley spent Sunday at Wabash visiting friends.

Mrs Landis is entertaining her brother, Mr Swank, of Angola.

Attorney A. L Clark, of Greenville, Ohio, was a guest in the city over Sunday

Mr. T. A Green, of Knox, was in the city over Sunday, the guest of Mrs. C. H. Meek.

Dr. and Mrs G. L Greenawalt are expected home from Baltimore about the fifteenth of this month

Mrs J W. Hippenhammer, of Scott avenue, who has been very sick for some time, is slowly recovering.

Mr and Mrs. Elsworth Fox are now at home in the pleasant cottage on the corner of Wilt and Jackson streets

Mrs. August Yergens, of Washington township, the wife of a well known farmer, is very low with pneumonia.

Mr and Mrs Dalby, of Montpelier, Ind, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. W. C Gates, No. 153 Jackson street.

John S. Hart, of Hicksville, one of the promoters of the Fort Wayne and Hicksville electric road, was in the city today.

Miss Rica Bargman returns home this evening, after a week's absence, attending the wholesale millinery openings.

The condition of J. P. Lloyd, of East Berry street, this morning was extremely critical. It is feared that the end is fast approaching.

Mr. and Mrs. August Heuer, of Chicago, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Mrs Heuer will be remembered as Miss Tillie Thieme.

The festival of Purim was held at the Standard hall last evening and presented a very beautiful and interesting program by the Jewish Sabbath school.

Daniel Meyers and son, the ice cream manufacturers of Columbia City, are in the city today, looking up a location for their business for the coming summer.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of the City Y. M. C. A., at their rooms in the association building tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

At a regular meeting of the Fortnightly club last evening, Mrs. August Detzer read an interesting paper on "The Early Mental Development of Children."

Frank Stone, of East Wayne street, who has been confined to his home with illness for some time, has recovered and is now able to resume his place on the road for an Indianapolis hardware house.

The Young Ladies' society met yesterday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church, and made final arrangements for a concert and organ recital to be given in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church, April 10.

Will Winch, formerly of this city, but who has for some time resided in Warren, Ind., is arranging to remove to Florence, Ala, where he will engage in the lumber business. His family will leave for the south in a short time.

Mrs. Harry Ninde entertained the officers of the Morning musical, at Wildwood, this afternoon, in honor of Miss Villa Whitney White and Miss Dillingham, of Boston, who gave the program at the Morning musical recital this morning.

Rev. S. D. Snyder, formerly of Dayton, has been called to the pastorate of Heidelberg Reformed church and has signified his acceptance. Mr. Snyder comes well recommended as a pulpit orator and an earnest worker, and the new congregation will flourish under his direction. Heidelberg church now consists of eighty-two families.

The invention of J. R Mote, of this city, for the purpose of registering the names of the streets on the street cars, is an unique one and if introduced would be a great convenience to the public. As the car approaches a street its name is dropped to view by means of an attachment to the rail, which works attachments in the car at the proper time.

Rev. F. G. Cadwell, of Ann Arbor, Mich., who is assisting the pastor of Bethany church in holding revival meetings this week, is a graduate of the McCormick Theological university at Chicago and was a classmate of Rev. Davies, the pastor of Bethany church. He is a brilliant pulpit orator. His sermon last evening was an able one and interesting to the large audience present.

EATS NICKEL PLATING.

The Facts Slowly Come Out.

"I notice that all around the faucet and the faucet handles of our coffee urn the nickel plating is eaten off," said the coffee maker in one of the large city restaurants lately, "and the inside of this big dipper that we use steady in drawing off coffee gets to be a sight. I believe it hurts peoples' stomachs more then they think I know I had to quit it, and when I quit, my dyspepsia left me in less than a week."

Postum Cereal is made of pure grains and looks like coffee. It fills the want for coffee for those who cannot drink the berry liquid Postum Cereal makes good healthy red blood and can be used by children and invalid as well as the healthy ones.

Attend the lecture of Marion Harland, at the Wayne steet M. E. church, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights.

Morgan & Co. are pleased to announce that they will handle this year, The Barnes, Tribune, Halliday, Alex. Hoosier bicycles, with a full line of ladies' wheels in all patterns, and everything in the sundry line, needed by the enthusiastic bicycler, including suits and shoes Messrs Snyder and Anderson, both men of large experience, will be ready to receive and wait upon all customers and others desiring to look at wheels. Remember the place, 19 and 21 E. Columbia St 29 3

TO BE PAVED.

Pontiac Street From Calhoun to Lafayette.

Winch Street Will be Graded—Petition for Paving Holman Street—Business of the B. P. W.

The board of public works at the meeting yesterday afternoon considered the plans and specifications for the paving of Pontiac street from Calhoun to Lafayette street A resolution for the improvement will be prepared and passed at the next meeting. It was decided by the board that hereafter contractors for street paving will be required to put up a larger deposit as a forfeit for the proper performance of the work. The amount required heretofore was $25 but the members of the board intend hereafter to fix the amount in accordance with the importance of the contract

P A Randall petitioned for the paving of Holman street from Calhoun to Clinton street. The petition was filed for future reference.

A petition was also filed which asked for sidewalks on the east side of Lillie street from Creighton avenue to Pontiac street.

The superintendent of streets was instructed to look after some lots on Michigan avenue, between Broadway and Metz street, which are located high above the sidewalk which at every rain are overflowed with water.

The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the grading of Winch street from Maumee avenue to the Wabash railroad.

THE MAYOR'S STORY.

He Tells One With Effect in Police Court.

How He Dealt With Peter Jenkins, an Old Soldier, Who Had Been Arrested for Intoxication.

Peter Jenkins, an old soldier, was before the mayor this morning charged with having been full of apple jack. Jenkins explained to the mayor that he wanted to get to Columbus, Ohio in time to draw his pension tomorrow. He said he hadn't a cent, but that he fell in with a lot of old comrades in this city and they succeeded in getting him drunk. After considering the case a while Mayor Oakley asked the veteran:

"How long did you serve in the army?"

"Four years, your honor," Jenkins replied.

The mayor consulted with Deputy Prosecutor Aiken and then said "I am a good deal like General Jackson in this case. One time a soldier was brought before General Jackson for being intoxicated. Jackson asked him how long he had served in the army, and the soldier replied that he had put in four years. 'All right, my man,' said Jackson, 'you may go. A man who has served four years in the army can get drunk in my town as often as he likes'"

Finishing his story, Mayor Oakley handed Officer Hines a quarter and told him to get Jenkins a breakfast and then see to it that he got out of the city on the first train for Columbus Jenkins was profuse in his thanks for the leniency and kindness and promised to never get drunk in Fort Wayne again if he lived a million years.

The public are kindly invited to attend the Bicycle Show in the Y. M C. A., City Department, Fridsy and Saturday afternoon and evening, March 6 and 7. Most of the dealers in the city will be represented and the hall will be decorated. The spaces are already assigned and the parties named below will exhibit. There will be shown most of the best wheels made in the country and a large line of sundries, including tires and different makes of all the accessories and coveniences for bicycle riding During the evening music by the Mandolin Club and some gymnastic exercises will be given at intervals for the entertainment of the visitors.

A small admission fee of 10 cents will be charged for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium

Mr. Joe W. Bell will exhibit the Davis, Syracuse, Spaulding and Pierce wheels.

Messrs. J. C. Peters & Co. will show the Sterling and Featherstone as an intermediate line

Messrs F. M. Smith & Co will present the old and reliable Columbia and the Hart ord lines

The Randall Cycle company, so long and well known, will entertain you with the good points of the Cleveland, Gendron, Smalley, Waverly and Winton.

Mr. A. C. Katt will tell you of the fine points of the Ramblers, Andreas, Crescent and Outing wheels

The Columbia Machine works will have a fine line, including the Arrow, Eclipse, Fenton and Liberty wheels.

Mr. Louis Mohr will spend his forces on the White, a superior wheel made by the White Sewing Machine company.

The Steger-Gouty Cycle company will be there and there to stay with the Viking, Stearns, Napoleon, Hoffman and Kearney bicycles

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Mad Anthony Tent, No 95 K O. T. M, initiated four new members to their ranks last night.

LEADERS CHOSEN.

New Officers of the Epworth League of the Wayne Street M. E. Church.

The regular annual business meeting of the Epworth league of the Wayne Street M. E church was held last night and the following officers elected for the ensuing year.

President—Miss Clara M Bennett.
Chairman Department of Social Entertainment—Miss Alice Hamil.
Chairman Department of Spiritual Work—Miss Louisa Drittmeyer.
Chairman Department of Mercy and Help—Mrs G S. Miller.
Chairman Department of Literary Work—Frank Dildine.
Secretary—Charles E. Wright.
Treasurer—J Edward N Dillon.
Chorister—W D. Williams
Organist—Miss Carrie B Schrader.
President of the Junior League—Miss Lottie Smith

The league voted to contribute $500 towards the building fund of the new church and decided also to furnish a memorial window for the new edifice. They also employed F. M. Barrows, the artist, to take views of the old church building and the interior of the audience room. The photographs taken from these negatives they will sell for the benefit of the church fund.

MISDIRECTED CHARITY.

Associated Charities Make an Explanation in Regard to It.

EDITOR SENTINEL.—The attention of the public is called to a certain class of mendicants who are still found begging on the streets and in business places. The organized charities of this city have undertaken to abolish street begging, and for this reason we wish to make a statement of the facts which are as follows The beggars referred to are old persons whose feeble appearance and persistent appeals usually obtain for them the alms which they ask. In each case, however, there are grown up children or other relatives at home who could earn a living, but prefer to live on the proceeds of this misdirected charity. It is impossible in these cases to give anything to the aged and infirm without its being shared by those who are not only lazy but in many cases dissolute, immoral and objectionable to the neighborhoods in which they live.

The different charitable agencies are united in the determination to refuse aid to such persons and to induce them to abandon their worthless relatives whom they are partly supporting and accept a home in the county asylum where they would be much better cared for. The reason why this has not been accomplished is that the parties referred to prefer to beg and find it a lucrative business It is therefore, only in the interest of true charity that the public is asked not to assist any applicant without first learning the facts in the case. This information can always be obtained through the Associated charities

C E PREVEY,
General Secretary.

Resolutions of Condolence.

HALL OF BRANCH NO 103, C K A
FORT WAYNE IND MARCH 1, 1896

WHEREAS Almighty God in the exercise of his divine will, has removed from this world and the turmoils of this life, our friend and brother, James Woulfe, therefore we the members of St Bernard's Branch 103 of the Catholic Knights of America, beg to pay our last sad tribute to the memory of the departed and to express our sorrow that the generous pulse of the friend we knew so well, has been stilled forever by the icy hand of death.

Having been an active member of the Catholic Knights of America for fourteen years and at the time of his death an honored and efficient officer of Branch 103 we feel that in his untimely death we have sustained a loss that will be difficult to adequately fill.

Always ready to respond to any call of sickness or distress, devotedly attached to the fraternal orders of which he was a member and foremost in promoting their principles and success, his simple christian life and unassuming charity, his zealous work in behalf of every cause, will be an inspiration to emulate his noble example and prove the most enduring monument to his memory.

Resolved, That we tender to his bereaved widow our sincere sympathy in her great affliction, and express very inadequately in this way, our sorrow and regret at the loss of one whom we had learned through years of fraternal association, to esteem for his untiring zeal, to honor for his unswerving manliness, to respect for his kindly counsel and to love for his many charities.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother.

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PATRICK RYAN,
W. L LOGAN,
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SUIT BEGUN

By Republicans to Set Aside the Apportionment Act.

Gov. Matthews Gives His Reasons for Refusing to Call the Legislature Together.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 3.—As soon as the reply of Governor Matthews refusing to call a special session of the legislature was placed in the hands of Chairman Gowdy, of the republican state central committee, suit was instituted in the superior court of this county to set aside the apportionment act of 1885 as unconstitutional. The court is asked to restrain the clerk and auditor of this county from issuing certificates for holding the election for senators and representatives under the law of 1885, setting up that the districts as therein constituted are unfair to many sections and in disregard of the census taken by the auditor of state in 1884 and on which the number of senators and representatives is based.

The complaint declares that Marion county, under the census, was entitled to three senators and six representatives, but the act complained of apportioned to that county but two senators and five representatives, thus disfranchising a large number of people out of the right to an equitable representation in the legislature. Similar complaint is made of numerous counties.

The complaint also alleges that the basis or unit of representation at that time was 5 000 voters for one representative and 10,000 voters for one senator, but in some districts representatives and senators were apportioned to counties having less than the unit, and in others but a single senator or representative was apportioned where the vote was largely in excess of the unit. There is little doubt but the democrats will now carry out their plan of having the supreme court decision construed by that body so as to order the election of an entirely new legislature, thus ignoring the twenty five hold-over senators, of whom nineteen are republicans.

GOVERNOR MATTHEW'S LETTER.

Governor Matthews sent a reply to Chairman Gowdy, of the republican state central committee, to the memorial asking the executive to call a special session of the legislature. Since the memorial was submitted the governor has received a large number of letters and telegrams asking him to refuse to call the legislature together, the writers urging that a special session is unnecessary and would put the state to a needless expense. After referring to the necessary delay in replying to the memorial, the governor says:

While you present this memorial as the duly accredited representatives of a political party I must in this reply consider it as an official of the people clothed with a responsibility by the recent decision of the supreme court of the state, adjudging all acts for legislative apportionment since the act of 1885 to be unconstitutional. I have fully realized the serious responsibility thus thrust upon me and have endeavored to determine the best course to pursue independent of political considerations and only with regard to the welfare of all the people of the state. The constitution provides that "if in the opinion of the governor the public welfare shall require it he may at any time by proclamation call a special session." An executive hesitates to avail himself of this authority except in conditions of extreme exigency, and when there may be no other way of remedying evils. Besides, in the present situation there are grave doubts in the minds of many prudent, careful and well informed citizens as to whether there is a lawful legislature to be called together after the acts under which the last general assembly were elected had been declared unconstitutional.

"To convene the legislature would be to remedy a supposed necessity but temporarily. It will become the duty of the next general assembly, that of 1897, under the constitution to apportion the state for legislative purposes, and I cannot see my way clear to put this expense upon the people of the state when the time is so near for the regular constitutional apportionment. Fortunately the supreme court after careful and deliberate thought has, I believe, clearly and wisely, in full recognition of existing conditions, pointed the way out of the difficulty by indicating that a legal election may be held under the act of 1885. You make the claim in your statement that the law of 1885 is self evidently unconstitutional. I readily concede to you the right to presume this to be the case, but I cannot assume the law of 1885 to be unconstitutional until it has been so declared by the highest judicial tribunal of the state.

"The people are wearied with the litigation growing out of the discontent of the few, and there is reason to believe that the public in general is not filled with alarm at the supposed evils and confusion that would result from an election of the legislature under this law that is entertained by a few through selfish and personal motives. I fully concur with you, gentlemen, in all that may be said in denunciation of the infamy, the injustice and the wrong of partisan apportionments called gerrymanders. It is to be hoped that no future legislatures will ever prove so recreant to the trust confided in them by their fellow citizens as characterized the last and some past legislatures.

"You further state that, owing to the grave situation the committee of which you are a part decided "after long and conscientious deliberation" to ask of the members of the general assembly of the political party for which you claim the right to speak and which controlled that assembly, a pledge that if called together in special session "no general legislation should be entered upon except to pass a constitutional apportionment law;" or, to put it in other words, that having failed to perform their duty as representatives and as required by the constitution while in regular session they would, if given the opportunity, perform those duties in a right and proper way.

"It is a matter of public knowledge that at the opening of the campaign of 1894 a distinguished member of your party and now commonly reported to be a candidate for the United States senate sounded the 'keynote' and devoted nearly his entire speech to the subject of apportionment. In this speech he promised that if his party candidates were chosen a just, equitable and constitutional apportionment should be enacted. This same promise was made by the candidates of your party. The general assembly met, took the oath of office to support the constitution of the state, but, notwithstanding this oath, in spite of previous decisions of the supreme court pointing out objectionable and unconstitutional features of former laws, in disregard of promises given to the people, ignoring repeated warnings of their own party and heedless of the message of the executive directing their attention to the unconstitutionality of the acts, proceeded wantonly, willfully and defiantly to enact a law that for injustice and outrageous disfranchisement of citizens has not had its equal upon the statute books of Indiana. In view of these facts I hope you will pardon me, gentlemen, if I am not impressed with that confidence in the ability or the disposition of the last general assembly to enact a valid apportionment law."

WILL GO TO CORINTO.

The Alert Receives Her Sailing Orders.

After Coaling at Acapulco, She Will Sail for Nicaragua to Protect American Interests.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The United States ship Alert arrived at Acapulco, Mexico, this morning, and reported the fact by cable to the navy department. Orders have been dispatched already to the commander to start southward again with his ship for Corinto, to protect American interests there during the revolutionary disturbances in Nicaragua. The ship must first take a supply of coal aboard at Acapulco which will consume a day at least, and the return trip will be made in about three days more, so that the Alert will be at Corinto about Thursday evening or Friday morning. Although no information is obtainable at the state department respecting the reports to the department from Minister Baker at Managua, it is believed that the officials look upon the uprising as serious in extent.

CRIED LIKE A CHILD.

Tommy Ryan Whipped by Kid McCoy in Fifteen Rounds.

MASPETH, L. I., March 3.—Kid McCoy knocked out Tommy Ryan, now of Syracuse, N. Y., but formerly of Chicago, in fifteen rounds at the Empire Athletic club last night. McCoy had the best of it in every round and came out practically without a scratch or mark. Ryan, on the other hand, was badly used up. Tim Hurst acted as referee.

As usual Ryan thought he had an easy mark, and it was something of a sensation to him to discover a fighter in front of him. From the call of time to the end of the second round Ryan smiled in a contemptuous manner at what he considered his easy foe. Then two or three stiff punches in the face woke him up and he became a trifle more cautious. He guarded himself closer and shifted about more on his feet, but no matter where he stepped, nor how quickly, McCoy was always there with right and left hand punches, which seldom failed to land and with effect.

Then the "yellow streak" with which Ryan has been accused of having, asserted itself. The punishment was too much and hurt him. He began running around the ring, and McCoy chased him faster than George Dawson did on a memorable occasion. Even at running McCoy was the better man, and kept close enough to Ryan to pelt him in the neck and back of the head. When Ryan was too tired to run any more he stood his ground and took the beating which had been predicted for him.

After the battle Ryan cried like a child and begged McCoy to promise him a return battle. The winner gave him little consolation.

THE NORTH POLE.

Prof. Andre Will Try to Reach it in a Balloon.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Henry Lund, consul of Norway and Sweden, has received an official communication from the Swedish minister at Washington calling his attention to the fact that Prof Andre will start in his balloon in July next to attempt to reach the north pole. The purpose of the communication was to ask the good offices of Consul Lund in spreading the news northward so as to apprise the natives to be not only on the lookout for the expedition, but should the descent be made among them to treat the voyagers kindly and render them what aid they can.

WILL SETTLE.

Great Britain and Venezuela Becoming Amicable.

The Vexatious and Threatening Boundary Dispute in a Fair Way to Final Settlement.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—It has been learned by the Associated Press that the British ambassador here, Sir Julian Pauncefote, and the Venezuelan minister in this city, Senor Andrade, have entered into direct negotiations for a settlement of the Yuruan incident, which involved the arrest of a British police official in the territory in dispute between Venezuela and Great Britain, the hauling down of the British flag and a subsequent demand for an indemnity upon the part of Great Britain.

It is impossible to learn to what stage this prospective settlement of the most important incident arising out of the dispute over the Venezuelan boundary had advanced, but there is good reason to believe that some definite announcement concerning the matter may be expected at an early day. As to the manner of conducting the negotiations, little information can be gained at this time, owing to the extreme reticence of all parties concerned, but the essential point is that Great Britain and Venezuela, whose relations have been strained so badly that there has been no diplomatic relations between them for several years, are once more in a fair way to a resumption of direct communication with each other and that a step has been taken which may pave the way to an amicable adjustment of the vexatious and threatening boundary dispute. When inquiry was made at the British embassy, Sir Julian Pauncefote said that it was impossible to make any statement on the subject. Senor Andrade, the Venezuelan minister, was equally reserved, although his secretary declared that the minister had had no direct communication with the British ambassador. This would indicate that the negotiations have proceeded through an intermediary, or by correspondence.

FEARFUL EXPLOSION.

Parks Brothers' Establishment Laid in Waste.

Two Men so Badly Injured They Cannot Survive—Property to the Amount of $200,000 Destroyed.

DANBURY, Conn., March 3.—By a boiler explosion in Parks Brothers' fur cutting establishment today, a fire was caused, which did damage amounting to fully $200 000, and resulted in probably fatal injuries to two men. The explosion tore the roof from the building, a small wooden affair of two stories. Edward Parks, one of the proprietors was thrown down by the explosion and frightfully burned. He may die. The building was quickly consumed, together with a sash and blind factory adjoining it. The flames communicated also with the Barnum building, the Sherman block, and other property, which was consumed. Sadie Carpenter, a tenant of an upper floor, jumped from a window and broke her thigh. Frank Eastwood, a fireman, was buried beneath a falling wall and fatally injured. There are rumors that two children are missing, but the report cannot be verified.

PENSION CASES.

Recent Rulings of the Department in Several Cases.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—A number of new rulings in pension cases are made by Assistant Secretary of the Interior Reynolds, in recent opinions. In disposing of a case of alleged disloyalty of a Tennesseean, the assistant secretary holds that involuntary service by a conscript does not, being a claimant for pension within the provisions of section 4 716 of the revised statutes. An honorable discharge from all service contracted to be performed during the war of the rebellion is held to be prerequisite to pension under the section of the act of June 27, 1890, and the appellant's desertion from the United States service in 1883 and failure to receive an honorable discharge bars his right to pension under that act. This, though rejecting the claim because of desertion, reverses the action of the pension bureau which dropped the claimants from the rolls "on the ground of disloyalty, he having previously served in the confederate army."

The naval home in Philadelphia is declared by the department to be an naval hospital within the meaning of section 4813 of the revised statutes, and pensions due to its inmates accordingly must be paid to the secretary of the navy. It is held that there is just cause for complaint by the sailors there of discrimination by act of congress in favor of the soldier inmates, but the appeal for relief is directed to congress instead of the department.

A claimant in the Eighth Missouri infantry, who was shot by a civilian in consequence of remarks made by him relative to a quarrel then in progress between the civilian and another officer of the claimant's regiment, is decided to have not been in the line of duty.

Commissioner of Pensions Lochren has informed Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood that her appeal from the action of the pension office in requiring her to refund $25 in a certain claim has been allowed and the money will be returned to her. Mrs. Lockwood had paid back the $25 and then took the appeal. It was for the retaining of this fee asserted to have been illegally paid to her that the report was circulated that she would be disbarred from practice before the pension office, but the action of the commissioner shows that there was nothing of an illegal character about the transaction.

RECORDS BROKEN.

The Coronado Beach Tracks the Scene of the Race.

W. W. Hamilton Reduces the Time in One Mile, Two-thirds of a Mile and One-third of a Mile Records.

CORONADO BEACH, Cal., March 3.—Four world's records were broken here. W. W. Hamilton, paced by Taylor, Aldridge, Miller and Vaughan on a quad, and Stone, Terrell, Washburn, Jenks, and Connibear on a quint, cut the world's record for one mile, flying start, to 1:39 1-5. A slight breeze arose shortly after the ride for the mile. Hamilton then went out, paced by the same two teams, for Bald's two-thirds mile mark of 1:07. Hamilton rode it in :58 3-5. After resting twenty minutes he went out again for the one-third mile unpaced and cut the distance in :33 3-5. The former record was :36 1-5. Taylor and Terrell then went out for the half mile tandem record and made the distance in :52 3-5. The former record was :53 1-5. The trials were timed, judged and started by L. A. W. officials.

THE ITALIANS WHIPPED.

Repulsed by the Black Shoans in Africa.

Five Hundred Dead Soldiers Left on the Battle Field by the Retreating Army.

ROME, March 3.—It is reported here today that General Baratieri, commander of the Italian forces in Africa, who has suffered another severe reverse at the hands of the Shoans while advancing on Abbacaima, was wounded during the engagement. Full details of the battle have not been received here, but it appears that the defeat of the Italians was complete.

According to the correspondent in Africa of the Popolo Romano, half the Italian artillery and all the ammunition and provisions were lost. Other advices report that 500 of the Italian soldiers engaged in the battle were killed and that among them are Generals Albertone and Darbormodi, who commanded two of the three columns. The number of wounded is not yet stated.

During the evening a rumor ran through the city that General Baratieri, when he became aware of the full extent of the disaster, wrote a letter to his successor, General Baldissera, and then committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. At the ministry of war, however, the rumor was discredited.

BUSINESS BLOCK SOLD.

P. E. Cox Purchases the Klotz Block for $10,000.

A real estate deal of considerable importance was made on South Calhoun street yesterday. The Klotz block, on the northwest corner of Calhoun and Allen streets, was sold by the owner, Daniel Klotz, to Patrick E. Cox, the well known plumber. The consideration was $10,000. The building is two stories high and two store rooms in width. It is occupied by J. M. Neufer's drug store and the grocery of M. Rinehart & Co. Mr. Cox intends to remodel the building, lower the floors, put in new plate glass fronts, etc., and add to it every convenience.

Big Cat Show.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Less than 200 cats were on exhibition today at the opening of the second annual cat show in Madison Square Garden. These highly prized creatures occupied roomy cages ranged upon six long rows of tables, which flank a little stage upon which troops of trick cats will be put through their performances several times each day during the continuance of the show. The prizes, amounting in all to $1 500, will be awarded by T. Farrar Rackham and Dr Rush Huidekoper. In addition there are a number of special prizes to be given. The show is under society auspices.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND

Will Preside at a Home Missions Meeting.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—President Cleveland, accompanied by Private Secretary Thurber, left Washington this morning for New York in a private car attached to the 11 o'clock train on the Pennsylvania road. He will preside at the annual meeting of the board of Home Missions tonight. It is expected that he will arrive in New York City at 5 o'clock this afternoon. He will leave there on the return trip on the midnight train, bringing him in here at 7:20 o'clock tomorrow morning.

LOCAL LINES.

The ladies of Grace Reformed church will give a Japanese social, Thursday evening.

The funeral of Mrs. L. A. Cooper will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. Holsworth, at No. 158 West Wayne street.

Tomorrow evening, at the Wayne street M. E. church, Marion Harland, the distinguished author, will lecture on "Will the Coming Woman Come." She is a brilliant and interesting platform orator.

Mrs. F. A. Hitchcock received a message this morning that her father, of Spencerville, Ohio, was dying. She left for home over the Pittsburg road at noon today.

WAR WITH SPAIN

Seems to Grow Less Probable as the Days Pass.

Uncle Sam Sends His Revenue Cutters Out to Intercept Two Filibustering Expeditions.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The treasury department has sent instructions to the commanders of revenue cutters in Florida waters directing them to use every effort to intercept alleged filibustering expeditions bound for Cuba, which the Spanish authorities have reported to the state department as about to leave Alligator Key, between Key West and Tampa.

The senate committee on judiciary has not yet taken any action on the subject of the extent and power of the concurrent resolutions passed by congress and whether or not the executive has authority to veto them or whether they are merely an expression of the opinion of congress. As the resolutions relative to Cuba are concurrent, the decision of the judiciary committee on this point will be interesting. It is understood that Senators Hoar and Hill, who were appointed a subcommittee to consider this matter, will request the opinion of the attorney general upon the resolutions introduced by Senator Hill.

The next steps likely in congress on the Cuban resolutions depend upon whether or not the house will correct the error made by its clerk in transmitting the resolutions to the senate. If the resolutions are not recalled, the senate committee on foreign relations will probably tomorrow take up the house resolutions and amend them by reporting those already agreed to in the senate as a substitute. This will necessitate considerable deliberation in the senate with possibly motions to concur in the house resolutions or to amend them. The senate committee has shown a disposition to avoid discussion and to get the resolutions into conference by waiting for the house to correct its error.

EUROPEAN NEWSPAPER COMMENTS.

PARIS, March 3.—Commenting upon the situation the Estafette trusts that President Cleveland will "reflect before proclaiming the independence of Cuba," adding: "Spain will not allow herself to be intimidated by the arrogance of the American senate."

The Soleil says: "The Spaniards who did not tremble before Bismarck will not tremble before the Americans when the day of action arrives. Spain is strong in her independence and intractable pride and will not recede."

LONDON, March 3.—The afternoon newspapers of this city again refer at length to the Cuban situation, in which everybody here is much interested.

The Westminster Gazette says: "The American congress' action is steadily destroying not only respect abroad, but its influence in the conduct of foreign affairs, and the strange result of this rabid republicanism, is that it is daily forcing one man more and more into power."

The St. James Gazette thinks that the language of congress is "more provocative than the Barcelona disturbance," adding, "Spain is now face to face with the declared hostility of the representatives of the American people, and an immediate reply will be given by the proud Spanish race that will be creditable to their spirit and deserve the sympathy of Europe. If war be the result, the jingo politicians may be surprised. We do not see where, outside of the United States, the Americans will find any support for their unlimited policy of aggression."

The Globe says: "There are other interests in Cuba beside the American, and may be there are European powers that would not quietly look on while the United States declare the remarkable Monroe doctrine which seems to forbid anybody to interfere with anything on which the eagle has its eye, while it encourages that officious bird to poke its beak into the business of everybody else."

The Pall Mall Gazette expresses the opinion that "the house of representatives has done well to smooth the rough edges of the senate's resolution. Great Britain is but remotely concerned in the business. There is the broad fact that Cuba under Spain is perpetually revolting or wanting to revolt. Nobody, therefore, is especially anxious to back Spain through thick and thin, especially through thin."

THE TOBACCO TRADE.

Opening Gun for a War Has Been Fired.

CHICAGO, March 3.—An opening gun, expected to precipitate war in the tobacco trade, has been fired by one of the leading anti-trust concerns. Every tobacco jobber in the country, which in Chicago includes the wholesale grocery houses, has been advised by mail of a cut of three cents per pound in the price of one of the many brands of plug tobacco. The cut was made in such a way that it is plainly the design to undermine the price of the trust's cigarettes or supplant them with anti-trust goods of a similar sort.

Mrs. Emma Bass, of No. 469 East Wayne street, widow of Albert Bass, who died about a year ago, has received notice that she has been granted a pension of $12 per month, together with about $250 back pay.

WESTERN SNOW STORM.

The Ground Covered From Three to Twelve Inches Deep.

OMAHA, Neb., March 3.—Dispatches from every part of Nebraska and western Iowa report a fall of snow ranging from three inches to a foot, evenly distributed, and still falling. In Omaha fully a foot has fallen and only a heavy wind is needed to convert the blinding storm into a blizzard of the worst kind. Street railway traffic is kept open only by the constant circle of the powerful sweepers.

CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR

Their Names Will Head Delegate Tickets at Primaries.

The Democratic City Central Committee Meet and Adopt Rules to Regulate the Voting.

The democratic city central committee held its regular meeting last night. The preparations for the preliminaries for the city nominating convention were discussed but no date for holding it was determined upon. The following resolutions, presented by H. C. Berghoff, giving the rules for conducting the primaries, were adopted:

WHEREAS, It is the desire of this committee, that every democrat of this city, at the next election of delegates to the city convention, shall have an opportunity to fully and freely express his choice for the different candidates seeking the nomination, it is hereby resolved that the following rules shall be adopted to govern at such election, to wit:

First. All votes for delegates shall be cast within the new ward boundaries as recently adopted by the city council.

Second. None but democrats shall be permitted to vote for delegates or councilmen. Challengers shall be appointed for each poll to see that this rule is strictly enforced.

Third. Not less than two voting precincts shall be established in each ward.

Fourth. No candidate or delegate shall serve in any capacity on the election board at the time of delegate election.

Fifth. All records, tally sheets and ballots shall be delivered to and be preserved by the chairman of the city central committee until after the regular election in May.

Sixth. The ballots to be submitted to the voter shall be furnished to the inspector of each poll by the chairman of this committee, and the same shall be given by such inspector to the voter when entering the voting place. None but sample ballots shall be allowed outside, and such ballots must be of different color than the regular ballot.

Seventh. Each candidate for office shall have the right to furnish to this committee, at a time to be hereafter designated, the names of such delegates he desires to place in nomination in the different wards, and when this has been done, the names of such delegates shall be placed upon the ward ticket beneath the full name of the candidate for whom they are selected.

Eighth. The ticket shall be so arranged as to read:

FOR MAYOR, J. F. Smith. DELEGATES.	FOR CLERK, P. Jones. DELEGATES.
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Ninth. Each democrat shall have the right to vote as follows:

He may express his choice by stamping the squares in front of the names of as many delegates as are allowed to his ward, and no more, but not stamp the names of the candidate, and such votes shall be counted for such delegate voted for.

All tickets having more names stamped than the number of delegates allowed to each ward, shall be rejected and declared void.

Tenth. Any delegate receiving more than one vote upon any one ticket shall be counted as having received but one vote—all delegates must be selected from the ward in which they reside.

Eleventh. Every delegate elected for any candidate shall be in honor bound to cast his first ballot in the nominating convention, for such candidate as he has been directed to do by the voter, but after the first ballot all delegates shall be at liberty to vote for whom they deem best.

Twelfth. Nominations for councilmen-at-large and such candidates as are not represented by delegates upon the regular ticket, shall be made by all delegates in convention.

Thirteenth. Nominations for the councilmen of the different wards shall be made in the following manner:

First. Each candidate for councilman shall present his name to the city central committee at a meeting to be held for that purpose, and all names so presented shall be placed upon the regular ward tickets.

Second. The voter to express his choice shall stamp the square in front of the name of such candidate as he wishes to vote for, and every vote so cast shall be counted as directed. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared the nominee.

Fourteenth. No carriages or conveyances shall be furnished by this committee to any voting precinct, and every democrat is earnestly requested to vote at this important election.

Rev. Tatlock Dead.

STAMFORD, Conn., March 3.—Rev Tatlock, D. D., secretary of the house of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal church of America, is dead.

Half rates via the Nickel Plate railroad March 10th, to points in the southwest. M. C. BASER, District Passenger Agent, No. 100. Fort Wayne, Ind. 247

Miss Minnie Wilkinson, of Montpelier, is in the city for a short visit.

ANOTHER CHAPTER

In the Doings of E. W. Quackenbush, Insurance Agent.

How R. B. Nichol Was Worked—The Outfit Went From Here to Philadelphia.

So far as known nothing has been heard of E. W. Quackenbush, the erstwhile agent for the erstwhile U. B. Mutual Aid association. THE SENTINEL a few days ago detailed his skipping the town, leaving many creditors to wonder where he was "at." Quackenbush's wife went with him, of course, and so did Mr. Doyle, the clerical looking man who was in the office with them and who seemed to be a full partner in the firm.

Last summer R. B. Nichol, who was an experienced insurance agent out of a job, took a position with Quackenbush as solicitor. Nichol was a married man. He and his wife lived in this city. The arrangement between him and Quackenbush was that Nichol was to receive 50 per cent. of the income for the first year from all policies written by him. A part of this was to be paid to Nichol from the first premium money collected from the policy holder and the rest was to come from the other payments during the year.

This arrangement went along all right for some time. Nichol wrote considerable business, thinking the company sound. He received his first installment of pay for his services, but about the time the other portions of it were due him the company failed and went into the hands of a receiver. Nichol could not get another cent and he was left penniless. Then Quackenbush skipped without offering any relief and Nichol was left in a bad shape.

It seems that Mrs. Nichol suspected that Quackenbush had a scheme in view and she watched him closely. Not long ago all the carpets in the insurance office were taken up, presumably to be cleaned, but Mrs. Nichol found that they had been packed ready for shipment. Last Thursday she heard that the entire outfit intended to skip. In the evening she and her husband went to the Pittsburg depot and just as the limited was pulling out for the east they saw Quackenbush and his wife and Doyle on board the train. This, coupled with the fact that the furniture and goods belonging to the trio were shipped to Philadelphia in the name of Doyle, would indicate that they went to that city.

It is not likely that any of the crowd will ever return to Fort Wayne, because there are too many people here who are anxious for them to call and settle.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Receipts, hogs, 12 000; left over 1,500. Estimated receipts of hogs tomorrow, 23,000. Market active and generally 10c higher. Light, $3 85@4 10; mixed, $3 85@4 07½; heavy, $3 75@4 05; rough, $3.75@3.80.

Cattle, 3 000; best grades 5@10c higher; others firm. Beeves, $3 20@4.55; cows and heifers, $1.60@3 80; Texans, $2 80@3.90; stockers and feeders, $2 80@3.75.

Sheep, receipts 10,000; market steady.

Hogs, official receipts yesterday, 25,920; shipments, 8 365. Sheep, 17,962; shipments, 1,992. Cattle, 13,951, shipments, 4 895.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Opening prices for wheat today were at a fractional advance, May opening at 67½@¾c. Cables were considered rather favorable to holders and northwestern receipts showed a decided falling off. But only a small scalping trade was doing and a declining tendency was manifested, the prices easing off gradually to 67c.

Corn was quiet and rather weak on the cold continued heavy local receipts. May opened a shade lower at 30⅝c and declined to 30½c.

Oats was very dull and fluctuated but seldom. May opened fractionally lower at 21⅛@¼c and held at about that figure.

Provisions were again strong on the small hog receipts and showed advances.

May Pork opened 10c higher at $9 90, easing off to $9 87½.

May lard was quoted 2½c higher at $5 50.

May ribs 5c higher at $5 22½.

CHICAGO, March 3.—Wheat—March, 65c; May, 66⅞@⅞; June, 66⅞c. July, 66¾@67.

Corn—March, 28⅞c; May, 30⅝c. July, 31⅝@⅞c; Sept., 32⅝c.

Oats—March, 19⅝c; May, 21@⅛c asked; July, 21⅜@½c asked.

Pork—March, $9 70; May, $9.85@9.87½; July, $10.00 asked.

Lard—March, $5 37½; May, $5 52½; July, $5 65.

Ribs—March, $5 07½; May, $5.22½@5.25; July, $5.32½.

Society Organized.

A literary society has been organized by the members of the W. G. F. L. C., No. 6121. Last evening Misses Alice Fitzgerald and Theresa Dierkes were initiated, after which the following program was carried out:

Vocal selection [illegible]
Select reading [illegible]
Piano selection [illegible] Misses Theresa Dierkes and Amelia Zimmerman.

The next meeting will be held the 16th inst., at their hall.

Wife Under Arrest.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., March 3.—Mrs. Joseph Lenthicum has been placed under arrest charged with murdering her husband last night. The man's last words were an accusation against the woman, who, he said, had cut his throat. Arthur Withers, her brother, is also under arrest as an accessory to the crime. The couple had quarreled frequently.

THE COURTS.

Percy Everett Given One Year in the Penitentiary.

Mary Beyerlien Asks for a Divorce From Fred Beyerlien—News in the Courts.

The case of the state against Charles Siebert is set for trial in the circuit court next Monday.

The circuit court jury acquitted Edward Horan of the charge of stealing an overcoat from the Saengerbund hall.

Benedict Krock has been declared insane and will be sent to the asylum at Richmond.

William N. Ladukc and Mrs. Mary Drishelbiss have been licensed to wed.

Percy Everett was found guilty of petit larceny and sent to the penitentiary for one year. He had raised small amounts of money in various crooked ways.

The cases against Leonard McCrory and Ben Mohr, for petit larceny at Leo, were dismissed in the superior court. The cases grew out of a frolic in which the boys were engaged.

Mary Beyerlien has begun suit in the superior court for a divorce from Fred Beyerlien. She also asks for custody of child. P. B. Colerick is her attorney. Beyerlien, it will be remembered, was sentenced to the penitentiary for forgery.

Alex Butler, a produce buyer on the streets, got into a dispute with a farmer named Julius Young. The farmer filed an affidavit against him for provoke before Justice Bullerman. A fine of $1 and costs was imposed and he paid.

The twenty-seven suits which were brought against the Olds Wagon works by employes, demanding back wages, have been settled, the company confessing judgment in each case. Attorneys W. C. Ryan and M. H. Bohen represented the plaintiffs. The judgments as separately rendered are: Charles Ross, $35 40; Owen Schoonover, $21.85; W. Wilder, $10 60; W. C. Ewing, $37.35; H. W. Chapin, $26 23; G. W. Beutschler, $26 45; John Norwald, $46 50; Jos. Barge, $42 75; Fred K. Dorsey, $43; Jules Cattez, $38 12; James Taylor, $15 15; Jno. Linton, $35 20. Harry E. Austin, $51.05, Clarence E. Austin, $30; Frank Castle, $31; Joseph Deppler, $56 26; Thomas Lloyd, $20 59; Fred K. Johnson, $22 50; Phillip Perry, $14 50, James Smith, $17 67; Allen Sinclair, $46 23. John Fealters, $12; Gus Snyder, $6 18; Mike Curran, $1 70.

PATCHED UP.

Republican Candidates for Nation Delegate

Must Furnish Their Own Tickets, All Alike—No Australian Ballot at the Primary Election.

The row among the republican candidates for the position of delegate to the national convention, as told in THE SENTINEL yesterday, has apparently been patched up.

The city central committee held a meeting yesterday afternoon but Chairman Everett and some of the candidates were not present, therefore it was decided to hold another meeting this forenoon. This was for the purpose of making some kind of an arrangement about the primary election that would be satisfactory, and to settle the controversy that had sprung from the protest filed by C. D. Law against the Australian ballot system.

At the meeting this forenoon C. D. Law and Frank Alderman, both candidates, were present in person. B. W. Skelton was represented by C. B. Fitch and R. T. McDonald had Billy Wilson and Kelly McCracken there in his interest. Phil Dickinson was not present.

The committee wrestled with the knotty problem of how to fix the thing so as to satisfy everybody and they finally came to a decision.

The election will not be held under the Australian system. Each candidate will furnish his own tickets, but they must all be of a uniform size, three inches by five inches, and must all be printed on white paper.

The plan was thoroughly discussed and after all had had their say, the candidates agreed to the arrangements and the meeting adjourned.

Phil Dickinson is no longer a candidate for national delegate. If Harrison had remained in the field as a candidate for president he would have entered the race for delegate, but Harrison's withdrawal caused Dickinson to stay out.

The candidates this morning all received a letter from the secretary of the city republican central committee stating that if they wanted their names on the tickets at the primary election they should please at once send in $20 apiece entrance fee.

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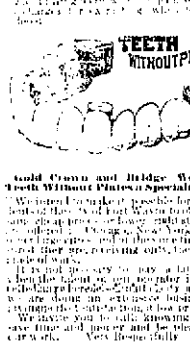

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. S. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3 1896

TONIGHT.

CIRCUIT COURT ROOM—A Mass meeting in the interest of Ireland's Liberty and Independence

MASONIC TEMPLE—Cotton & Rhodes production "Lost in New York."

EMPIRE THEATER—The Frost & Frankshaw Company in Plays at Popular Prices

STONEMASONS' UNION No. 7—Regular meeting

ALLEN COUNTY LICENSED LIQUOR DEALERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION—Regular monthly meeting

BUTCHERS' ASSOCIATION—Regular Monthly meeting

COLUMBIAN READING CIRCLE—Regular meeting at Sons of Columbus Hall.

AMERICAN PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION—Regular meeting in Harmony Hall.

FORT WAYNE CYCLING CLUB—Monthly meeting

FORT WAYNE SAENGEREUND—Monthly meeting

O. AND O. CLUB—Regular Meeting

ST. JULIAN COUNCIL, NO 87, C. B. L.—Regular meeting at Library hall.

LODGES Home lodge, No. 312 F. A. A. M., Fort Wayne Grand Lodge of Perfection, A. and A. S. R.; Summit City lodge No 2 D. of H.; Fort Wayne lodge No 11, D. of H.; Elks' lodge; Col. E. S. Walker camp No 159 S. of V.; Canton Fort Wayne, No 17, Patriarchs Militant, Fort Wayne lodge No. 116, K. of P.; Deborah lodge, No. 110 D. of R.; Indianola Lodge No. 31, Order of the World.

Spain was wise in making an apology for the Barcelona outrage. In case of war between the two nations, Spain would be a "before breakfast" job for the United States.

E. H. McDonald, Dr. A. J. Roswell and E. V. Emrick will address the Loyal Hall democracy tomorrow night The meeting will be an open one and all the democrats in the city are invited to attend

There will be no special session of the state legislature for the purpose of enacting a new legislative apportionment law. Governor Matthews has settled that, and settled it rightly too, by his answer to the memorial presented by the sub committee of the republican state committee.

The Spanish Demonstrations.

The anti-American demonstrations at Madrid and Barcelona will not hurt the United States. They certainly will not drive this country from its attitude with regard to Cuba, and Spain has done a wise thing in promptly apologizing to this country for the riotous conduct on the part of some of her citizens towards the American consulate.

We must expect, of course, that the Spaniards will be displeased at our sympathy with the Cubans, but if they insist upon giving it a hostile construction, that will not be our fault. And if they allow themselves to provoke resentment, they may succeed in giving this country occasion for something more than an expression of sympathy.

There are certain traditional sentiments of friendship or of animosity toward various European nations that are quite universal among Americans, but we do not know that we have any particular feeling about Spain, except where Cuba is concerned. Two or three years ago we were exchanging official compliments, and we have done our best to perform all international duties toward Spain, even in the face of our sympathies, but we have never professed any warmth of affection, nor have we ever manifested any hostility. So far as Spain alone is concerned our attitude has been one of indifference

There can be no just complaint made by Spain against this government for extending to the Cuban revolutionists the rights of belligerents. It is not an act of war; it does not in any degree impair the obligations of the neutrality laws which are accepted by the civilized nations of the world. It is a movement in the interest of humanity, and it is also a movement to extend something like equal rights to Spain and the Cubans. An insurgent army that started upon one end of the island, marched its whole length, amounting to 700 miles, and that today occupies nearly or quite every province of Cuba, cannot be treated by the civilized world as a mere rebellion. It is a revolution. The Cuban people are involved in it, and not a fraction of them. It is Cuba against its oppressor, and the least that this government can do is to extend equal rights to both the contending parties as far as possible.

Ever since the war in Cuba, Spain could come into our markets, purchase arms, ammunition, supplies, anything and everything, in open market and in open day, without question by our government, but if the struggling Cubans seek to ship arms or ammunition to their patriotic brethren, they are watched by Cuban spies, arrested by American marshals tried in the United States courts and convicted because the law demands it. With belligerent rights accorded to them they would have equal opportunities to obtain supplies in our markets, and that they are entitled to If they can thus maintain their independence, we should not deprive them of the opportunity. Every consideration of justice and of humanity demands that belligerent rights should be promptly extended to the Cubans.

We have said that such action by our government could not be regarded as a cause for war on the part of Spain, but if Spain shall decide that it is an act that calls for war, let war come The responsibility would be wholly upon Spain and not upon the United States, and the end would be swift and inevitable. Spain would not only be defeated on land and water, but Cuba would be independent within thirty days after Spain declared war, and not only independent, but forever beyond the reach of the grasp of the now tottering monarchy that has ever made Cuba a conspicuous monument of oppression, robbery, murder and desolation.

LIGHT OUT OF DARKNESS

By Mrs. HENRY WARD BEECHER.

"When I [illegible] thought of poor Le Barron I [illegible] I found him. In the [illegible] the Sutters and entrance, [illegible] gage, but the sunlight [illegible] more apparent. Leaving [illegible] warm in the very [illegible] of his husband, but could find no [illegible] save a bruise on his brow by some article thrown—made, I fear, by his wife when the servants seized her. But Dr. Shelby, whom Austin soon brought, says it was probably not [illegible] to have caused his death. Dr. Shelby has been his medical adviser for some months past, and he thinks his [illegible] exaggerated by the fearful storm it [illegible] upon him when he told his [illegible] to tell her, hastened his death from an [illegible] of the heart.

"Austin promised to make all needful arrangements for the inquest, and as soon as I could be spared I hastened to you, for I think you and Mrs. Newton are greatly needed there now."

"We will go with you immediately."

"Can I be of service in any way?" asked Grace.

"I will thank you to order me one of the carriages. I did not intend to use either of them again, but this is a work of necessity."

"One word before we leave. I found the two youngest children, Jennie and Robert, hid in the parlors, half dead with fright. The [illegible] not to be found. Hearing the noise, I presume, they had crept down from the nursery and probably fearing to return have been concealed the whole night. Jennie, you know, is a sweet, thoughtful child—very unlike her sisters. Robbie, Dr. Shelby says, has never been very bright or robust."

"I suppose," said Grace Ellis, with much confusion, "you will hardly be willing to give me a share in providing for your protégés?"

How unlike this hesitation to Jasper's natural impulsive generosity! What could it mean unless the knowledge on his part that his interest and labor might soon be so separated from his northern friends that he would be unable to share their generous cares?

"In his chair, his head resting on the marble palm, was Le Barron."

The shadows of vexation and sorrow—almost doubt—again crossed Rose's brow. As Eustace's dark eye sought her lover's for a moment it had in its calm dignity a meaning she could not fathom, and her heart beat wildly when she saw Jasper's quail before it. What fear restrained her natural impetuosity from demanding a solution at once?

In reply to Jasper's question Eustace simply shook his head, but his father partly reassured her by the calm and apparently unsuspicious manner in which he answered:

"We will settle all details when we return. Now we must attend to the more pressing wants."

In the course of the ride Mrs. Newton asked Eustace how Maud appeared when taken to her parents and compelled to witness all the horrors of that scene.

"Oh, my dear madam! Your question reminds me that I have not given the miserable girl a thought since I entered that room! The sight that met my eyes at first bewildered me, and when I could rouse above it my whole attention was so engrossed by immediate necessities that—well, excuses are useless. It was cruel negligence."

"No, Eustace, you blame yourself needlessly. It was a most natural oversight. She was requiring no attention, and unless in sight and taking some part I do not wonder you did not think of her."

"She was not in the room, I am sure, for I have no recollection of seeing or hearing her again after one glimpse of that terrible scene. I now remember the remark she made about keeping her own counsels as closely as her sister had done, to which I then attached little importance, but which now I fear may have been painfully significant."

When they reached the house, they were met by Dr. Shelby and Mr. Austin and informed that they were ready for an inquest, waiting only for Dunbar's evidence, and then would be ready to remove the body to another apartment to be prepared for the grave.

After a long and earnest consultation with reference to Mrs. Le Barron the doctor suggested that the wisest plan would be to remove her to some quiet retreat or asylum as soon as possible.

Inquiries were then made for Maud. Neither the doctor nor Austin had seen her, and each had been the excitement and confusion her absence was unnoticed.

On asking for the young lady one of the servants said she thought she had not returned.

"Returned!" said Mr. Newton.

"Yes, sir. I guess she was sort of frightened as soon as she saw her father, and she noticed him before Mr. Dunbar did. Miss Maud never thought much of her mother, nor of her father, either, for that matter, only she could always have her way with him, poor man! And without speaking she slipped right out of the room and out of the house too."

"Do you know who to she went?"

"No, ma'am, not sure; but Thomas here thinks she drove her out to old Varney's."

"Think, indeed! Why, Thomas, don't you know where you took the—"

"Why, sir, the young lady came to me from the stable room all whitelike and called me out of doors that I'd be to put one of the horses into the gig that the servants use and drive her mast out to Elmwood, old Varney's place, to do an errand. Before I could come round with the gig a woman came out of the back gate all muffled up and motioning as though she was afraid of being seen. She spoke low and strange and said her mistress wanted me to take her on an errand. But, your honor, Miss Maud's a mild dove wear diamonds and is uncommon willing to talk with an honest lad and to show her face too."

"Well, Thomas, your young mistress has sorrow and trouble enough and may well feel the need of advice."

"Yes, your honor, but young ladies ain't generally willing to seek advice from an old lover to whom they have often said 'nay,' replied the coach.

Wishing to stop further revelations of the family secrets, Mr. Newton inquired:

"Where is Miss Le Barron's mark?"

"Miss Maud's, do you mean, sir? Oh, she put off some time ago, and for certain much more went out with her than she ever brought here."

"Well, we will seek Miss Maud in her own apartment." And as they turned from the gossip loving servants they heard the cook remark:

"Well, well, they'll have a breezy time of it. Glad it isn't me."

It was very evident that the servants who had remained with Mrs. Le Barron through the night had not learned of Estella's marriage, yelloge and flight.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton ascended to Maud's apartments. All was silent, but after a few moments' pause they knocked at the door. She was there and bade them enter, but when her father's best friends stood before her she started in alarm and made a movement for a hasty retreat. But suddenly checking herself, before Mrs. Newton could speak, she turned on them with the wildest fury depicted on her face and almost shrieked:

"Why are you here? I will not hear a word. Leave my room instantly. You come to exult over our fall. I am still, for a few hours at least, claim a right to my own chamber. I bid you begone!"

"But my dear child," said Mrs. Newton, "listen to me a moment. We come in all love. Do trust us. We love all as well as you. Then why should you imagine we mean anything but friendship and tenderest sympathy?"

"I do not believe you—do not trust you and will not. Who told you we needed any sympathy? I for one have no desire for it."

"Mr. Dunbar came at Dr. Shelby's request to bring us here, and, my dear Maud, let us in some way comfort you."

"I tell you I want no comfort from you or any one. Dunbar has, I presume, told you how finely Stell has managed. I think I am as well able to act for myself as she."

"Oh, Maud! Maud! Do no such rash thing as she has done. I entreat you. It will bring you only disgrace and misery."

"Oh, never fear. I have no fancy for elopements. What I do I care not who knows. It is too late for any to prevent it now anyway. The last trunk went from that room," pointing to a closed door, "since you have honored me with your espionage.

"Allow me," with a scornful, defiant air, even while a shudder of disgust passed over her, "allow me to introduce you to Mrs. Jacob Varney, a millionaire's wife, madam! Not quite so winsome a husband as Stella's, perhaps, but I shall have all that money can give. So what matter's it?"

"Ah, Maud, my dear child! What have you done? How could Varney countenance such an act under the circumstances?"

"What have I done? Why, found myself a princely home when my father's folly or crime—call it what you please—has cast me out from this. What has Varney done? Why, proved himself a fool! Has he not for more than a year tormented me? And I during that time treated him with open, undisguised contempt. And yet when I went to him yesterday and told him boldly we were bankrupted and disgraced; that Stella, the vile creature, had robbed me of all I had—oh, it makes me laugh to think how the toothless old dotard blubbered over my hand!"—and with a gesture of bitter loathing she tossed her hand away from her—"promising me a trousseau next week that should outvie any in the city, together with a princely settlement, if I would consent to marry him that very hour. Why, an immediate marriage was just what I was determined on! And it is done," said the miserable girl, throwing herself on the sofa, exhausted by the shameful recital.

Mrs. Newton went to her caressingly, while her tears fell fast.

"Oh, Maud! You do not love this man! How, then, can you endure the home you have sold yourself for?"

"Love him! Oh, no! I have ever loathed him. I had once some romantic notions about marrying for love and escaping from such a home as this has all years been.

"But that is all past! When once I get my promised trousseau and settlement, I shall allow my self to be very little troubled with old Varney's society, I assure you. That would be intolerable. I have lived thus far without love and can continue to do so, while I now have a position in the most fashionable society as high as wealth can command. Why do you weep and look at me so sadly? What would you have me do?" she cried wildly. "Go out to service? Starve in the streets—or worse? My mother's folly and my father's shame have barred all other chances for a home but the one I have chosen or rather accepted as a last resort."

"Oh, no! no! my poor girl! A loving heart was at your command, and you scorned it, threw it aside for the golden chain that now binds you and which will eat like a canker into your soul."

"No, I never scorned Ernest Sherwood, never! My whole heart was his. But how was he received? Turned from the door by harsh words from my mother, and bitter insults from my father, while I was jeered at daily for my low tastes and Estella's foreign beld up before me as a goal!"

"But, my dear Maud, when you saw the state of your father's affairs, if you must so hastily seek a home, why not let Ernest share your troubles?"

She started quickly to her feet. "Let him know the depths to which I had fallen! the loss of property he would not value, but the shame! Tell Ernest Sherwood that my father was a dishonored man a forger—liable any moment to public arrest! Do you think I could do that, or do you know me so little as to suppose I would shame my womanhood by offering myself to one I respected—and I loved. If you that knew me, you would not wonder that I hide the parents that have told me of all that I never valued. I have wept in the hour, and once out-of-the-gate I will never see them more—never."

From these passionate words the friends suspected the sad knowledge of the terrible state of Mr. Le Barron. A few words revealed that the clerk simply supposed his master was in one of those stupor fits [illegible] with rest and [illegible] by science, though she [illegible] that she was ignorant [illegible] of the appearance. When she [illegible] the truth, she was at first [illegible] but her own selfishness soon rose above all other considerations.

"If I [illegible] Oh, Fanny! Fanny! But it is all too late!"

It was too late to prolong the scene. The unhappy girl resisted all efforts to persuade her to show at least common respect and carry out her father's body should be laid to rest and her mother placed in some asylum, and when from the window she saw a superb equipage dash up to the door she abruptly said "farewell," and with a face in which all of her ill governed passions were warring with a better and tender one mounted rushed down stairs, and without accepting the aid of her unfortunate and supercilious husband she sprang into the carriage, and with the partner of her folly was soon borne from their sight.

That same afternoon Mrs. Le Barron was quietly taken to the retreat selected and the next day her husband's remains, in the simplest and most unostentatious manner, consigned to the grave.

Dunbar remained till the servants were dismissed on the following week, the house safely closed and the key placed in the hands of those who were appointed to unravel the tangled web of the late owner's dealings.

So closed the tragedy that would be a lifelong misery to some, but to the outside world it was but a "nine days' wonder," and other events soon swept it from the public mind, and it was forgotten.

CHAPTER IX.

The evening after Le Barron's funeral all the Newtons met in the home so soon to pass from their hands. Mr. Newton there informed his friends that he had, as much as lay in his power, endeavored to hasten the final settlement of all matters connected with his late business. He had met all who had claims upon the firm and brought the whole matter much nearer a thorough adjustment than at first he had any reason to anticipate. He spoke with great feeling of the respect and kindness manifested toward him personally by all concerned and their voluntary request that he should appropriate all the personal property about the house and grounds to his own use, and they expressed their conviction that even more than that would be found honorably his due.

Of course Le Barron's funeral had prevented the ride to the Montgomery place, but now, finding there was every promise of turning his attention to some new work, Mr. Newton desired that Eustace's proposition should have immediate attention. It was therefore agreed that early the next morning Eustace should escort Mrs. Newton to the farm and on their return the feasibility of the project should be finally settled.

Rose proposed that she should accompany them and have one more ride on fairy before she passed from their hands, and turning sweetly to her lover asked if she might trespass on his gallantry for an escort. He excused himself on the plea of prior engagements and expressed great regret that he could not enjoy such a treat. All this was natural enough, and Rose was satisfied, for her eyes were not yet opened. But the quick flash that over-spread his face and died away as rapidly reminded Mr. Newton's sorrowful suspicions, and the earnest recognition that passed between Dunbar and George told him that Jasper's manner had but confirmed their opinions.

It was painful to wait longer for a positive denial or unmistakable admission of his treasonable proclivities. But who could look on that sweet girl by his side and have the courage to hasten a denouement that might blast the bright beauty before them? These thoughts passed with painful rapidity through Mr. Newton's mind, and he had just mastered the indignant impulse as Ralph gayly offered to act as his sister's cavalier in place of her recreant knight and suggested that it might be well to smuggle Alfred into the carriage with the other party, and then, should first impressions prove encouraging, George and himself could remain to await orders and Alfred escort Rose home again.

But his parents were advocates of consistency under all circumstances, and whatever they advocated they exemplified by their daily practice. Mr. Newton agreed that such a cavalcade as Ralph had planned was hardly in good taste under existing circumstances. He should much prefer that Dunbar should accompany the ladies in the most unpretending manner, leaving the others industriously employed in making an inventory of all in the house and grounds.

A ready assent was given to this suggestion, Ralph remarking that father would be obliged to exercise the gift of patience before he could get them into a good working condition, for they would, he feared, be very little while "boiling from the track" after some fancy frolic instead of working like little busy bees, and a strong arm, tight rein and curb bit would be absolutely necessary to keep them on the right side of the traces.

"Well, Ralph, my son, that is an odd mixture of quotation and metaphor, but I must say it smacks a little too much of the jockey."

"Our good parents are growing a little obtuse, I think. I've been trying all the evening to make you comprehend. Having taken possession of the groom's apartments, I am happy to find myself not so far above my position but that my vocation is recognized," said Ralph, laughing merrily.

"What does the silly boy mean?" said his mother.

"Simply," replied George, "that while you and father were occupied at Roseville yesterday we at home were anxious to make ourselves serviceable. I hope you will not think we are undertaking too great liberties. You know we must no longer keep an army of servants, and the sooner all changes are made, I judge from what you have already said, the better. Hearing of good places for the coachman and one of the grooms, we secured them and sent the men off. Ralph and I personally prefer, if it meets your approbation, to retain the boy Dolly, John, for a few days to [illegible] outdoors we will do the work of the carriage house and stable till the options are disposed of."

"Look at Fatty," said Ralph, laughing. "He is just growing that his pound-and-a-half should stop to take in the house."

"There you are wrong, dear boy. I was overcome for a moment with gratitude to the [illegible] blessed [illegible] children so ready to accept not only uncomplainingly but with great cheerfulness and alacrity a change and labors entirely new to them and with no false shame step in to share those duties to one of their most favored and indulged."

"Now, sir, your explanation is really quite crushed. I had a little speech all ready—thinking you were slow—but our [illegible] to show you how [illegible] at work your prompts. I am greatly disappointed, for as I am to be a

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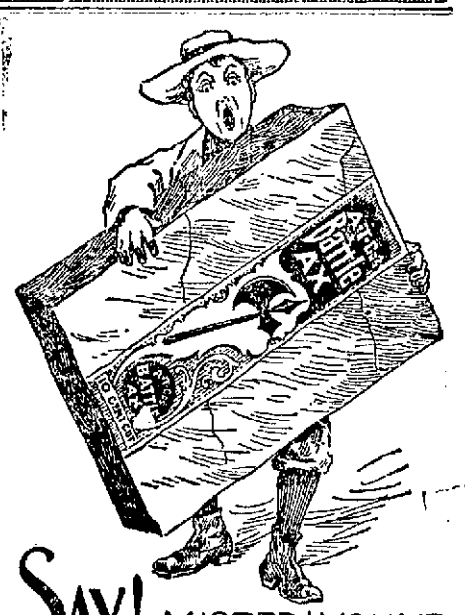

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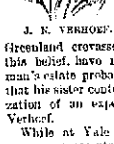


J. N. VERHOEF.

While at Yale Verhoef was looked upon as an eccentric and unique character. Some profess to believe that he joined Peary's party with the express idea of abandoning it and setting out on his own account to make "the farthest north."

It is said that he frequently stated aboard Peary's vessel that he could live as the Eskimos do—on blubber—and some believe he left the party with the determination to make this experiment.

Lieutenant Peary has believed from the first that Verhoef lost his life in a crevasse.—New York Recorder.

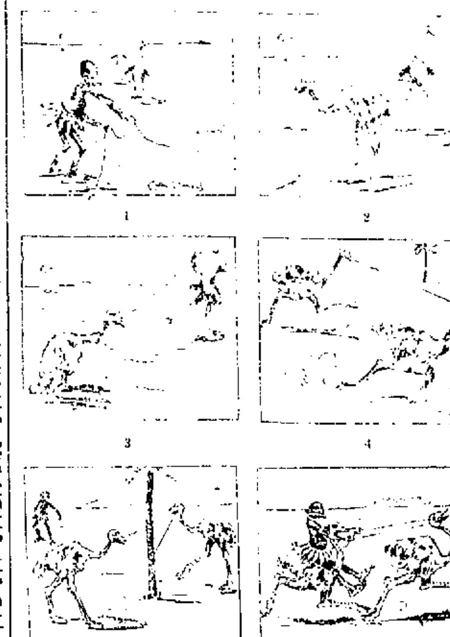
To Glorify Monroe.

On the evening preceding the Michigan Democratic state central convention, to be held on April 23, there will be a monster mass meeting to commemorate the birthday of President Monroe, in which some Democrats of national prominence will be asked to participate.

A Turkish Fit.

The sultan's punishment may eventually fit his crime, but it will probably be a baggy, Turkish fit.—Detroit Tribune.

TANDEM DRIVING IN AFRICA.



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Fireman Joe Hartman, of the Nickel Plate, is taking a short vacation.

L. F. Loree, general manager, is putting in ten days in inspecting the Panhandle system.

The Hon. C. B. Stuart, of Lafayette, chief counsel for the Wabash, was in the city yesterday.

A. D. Cressler has returned from New York, where he closed some large contracts for the Kerr Murray works.

W. C. Norton, telegraph operator, has gone to South Whitley to take charge of the Nickel Plate telegraph office.

The Pulman company is building seven of its most modern sleeping cars for service on the Chicago and Rock Island.

General Manager Turner, of the Vandalia, has begun a retrenchment move by abolishing a number of telegraph offices.

The Erie people are making arrangements to lay a second track on the main line from Hornellsville to Salamanca.

C. B. Van Meter has recovered from an illness which kept him from his train duties two weeks. He is a Nickel Plate brakeman.

Nickel Plate Conductor Beidler, who was rusticating ten days, came in from the country yesterday, and resumed charge of his train.

J. P. Seibold and William Bensman, boilermakers, have gone to Toledo, Ohio, to put in new flues in the stationary boiler in the Wabash car shops.

F. P. Fox, for years past traveling passenger agent of the Lackawanna, is to be appointed land and tax agent of the company for the Buffalo division.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton and the Monon, in February, sold the largest number of mileage books of any month in the history of either line.

The directors of the Pennsylvania have decided to issue their monthly report on the 28th of each month, instead of earlier, that the statements may be more complete.

Ernest Dooling, night car inspector for the Nickel Plate, is suffering with a severe attack of tonsilitis and is off duty. Fred Bearbaum, of the day force, has taken Mr. Dooling's place.

First Vice President McCrea and General Passenger Agent Ford, of the Pennsylvania company, on Saturday returned from New York, where they had been attending meetings for several days.

Mrs. W. A. Maddux, who was so severely injured by a fall two months ago, is now sitting up a short time each day and is gaining strength rapidly. Mr. Maddux is the Nickel Plate's wreck foreman.

D. F. McCarthy, a Nickel Plate brakeman, had the end of his right thumb pinched off at Dunfee, Saturday night. It was Mr. McCarthy's first trip out, he having just entered the service of the company.

Charles F. Henry, an axle maker, late of Akron, Ohio, has taken a position at the Bass blacksmith shop and will have charge of the large steam car axle hammer and crew at nights. For some time the hammer was in operation only during the daytime, but business is so brisk that it has become necessary to double the force and keep the machinery in operation twenty out of the twenty-four hours.

R Ormiston, Gus Weise and James Blake have taken positions in the Bass blacksmith shop.

W. H. Cherry, the well known Pittsburg boiler maker, has recovered from his recent illness.

E. B. Moore and C. Schneider, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, are off duty on account of sickness.

John Klingenberger, of Force street, is the papa of a pretty girl baby. He is a Pittsburg shopman.

H. Weist, of the Bass blacksmith shop, is still quite sick. He has been bedfast for over two weeks.

Division No. 18, ladies' auxiliary to the B of L. E., will meet tomorrow evening for the election of officers.

C. Hoopner, who had a foot hurt two weeks ago, resumed his work in the Pittsburg lumber yards this morning.

G. M. Johnson, of the Pittsburg copper shop, went to Anderson, Ind., today to institute a lodge of the Golden Eagle.

During the past year there were turned out in this country 1 268 081 tons of steel rails, against 904,020 tons in 1894.

John Michaelson is moving his family and household goods from Knox to Fort Wayne. He is a Nickel Plate fireman.

Switchman David Prim, of Pittsburg engine 189, is the proud father of a baby boy, who tips the beam at ten and one half pounds.

The shipments from the electric works today were a power motor to the Toledo Supply company and a motor to M. Weill, New York.

There was a slight accident at the east yards yesterday morning, in which several cars were derailed. Traffic was blocked for a couple of hours.

James Hardigan, passenger engineer on the Nickel Plate, is sick and off duty. Engineer John Cook, of the same road, is taking a few days' rest.

The Southern railway has purchased an extensive piece of ground in Salisbury, N. C., on which to erect shops which will give employment to 300 men.

L. Gronau, F. Gephard and V. Burger, of the Pittsburg shops, are off duty. Gephard has a sick child and the other two men are suffering with bad colds.

The annual report of President Roberts, of the Pennsylvania lines, was on Friday submitted to the board of directors, and will be published in a few days.

J. P. Hays, a Wabash engineer, has returned from Montreal and resumed his duties on the road. Mr. Hays is a nephew of the general manager of the Grand Trunk road.

Contractor Fred H. Boester has secured the contract to build the addition to the Sunday school part of the Wayne street M. E church, the work to be completed as soon as possible.

The steam hammers in the Pittsburg shops which are operated by James Trythall and Frank Girard and their crews resumed work this morning after being thoroughly overhauled and repaired.

J. F Lee has been appointed to take charge of the Canadian Pacific's passenger business in Chicago territory, with the title of general agent, passenger department, with headquarters at 232 South Clark street.

John Toole, C. C. Dickman and F. Garber, locomotive firemen, have quit the Nickel Plate and will seek work elsewhere. Mr. Garber has gone to his old home in Pennsylvania. Business on the railroads is very light at present.

Engineer Louis Balzer rode the Maccabee goat last night and consequently was not able to take his run out on the Nickel Plate today. By frequent applications of arnica to various bruises he hopes to be able to resume work tomorrow.

Jacob Waldschmidt reports a new baby girl at his home. He is an employe of the Pittsburg planing mills, but felt so happy over the addition to his family that he asked permission to remain at home today and enjoy his new daughter's company.

Operator Gilson, of the Nickel Plate yard office, has resumed work after a week spent with relatives at Pleasant Mills, Ind. During their sojourn in that village Mrs. Gilson, whose parents reside there, presented her husband with a bouncing baby girl.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

It is stated that as a result of the conference of Receiver Pierce, of the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City, and General Freight Agent Weed, with the managers of the Joint Traffic association, the road, though not a member, is to co-operate with it in maintaining rates.

The Silverine orchestra was organized last night. It is composed of the following gentlemen, several of whom are Pittsburg shopmen and all residents of the Tenth ward: Matt Young, manager; J. Smith, P. Smith, Joseph Nern, E. Rosenberger, M. Freiberger, George Alter, A. Walker and A. Falmer. The orchestra expects to be ready for business in a few weeks.

Last Saturday was the eleventh birthday of James Nicholson, the general yard foreman of the Nickel Plate. He was born February 29, 1856, and though forty winters have come and gone since that date, only eleven of his birthdays have passed. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson decided to make the anniversary the occasion for a social gathering, and upon their invitation about twenty five persons, many of them employes of the Nickel Plate yards and offices, assembled at the home of the couple, 24 Boone street, Saturday evening, and were royally entertained. A five course supper was served and after the feast the hours were devoted to cards and games of various kinds. The guests presented Mr. Nicholson with a handsome table, while Mrs. Nicholson presented him with a gold watch chain. It was a most pleasant affair and will long be remembered by host, hostess and guests.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

Official Call Issued by the District Chairman.

At a meeting, composed of the chairmen of the democratic central committees of the several counties of the Twelfth congressional district and the district committeeman, held at Fort Wayne, on the 8th day of January, 1896, it was determined that the convention for the nomination of a democratic candidate for congress, to represent the district, would be held at the opera house in the city of Kendallville, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 7TH 1896,

at 2 o'clock p. m. All delegates heretofore elected, or such as may be hereafter elected to said convention are requested to take notice and be present at the convention at the time and place above stated, without further notification. Democrats generally are requested to be present. The representation for the several counties is as follows, and is based upon one delegate for each one hundred and fractions of fifty votes and over cast for Claude Matthews for governor in 1892

Allen	[illegible]
DeKalb	[illegible]
Noble	[illegible]
Lagrange	[illegible]
Steuben	[illegible]
Whitley	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]

THOS R. MARSHALL,
District Chairman.

Richmond Evening Item: "One of the things that is most influential in keeping other telephones out of the field occupied by the Bell company is that there is a tremendous expense attached to the business in the way of keeping up with all the improvements that are made in appliances and apparatus and only a company that is backed by a tremendous capital can give a satisfactory service. They have been in the field for years and are familiar with every detail of the business and have the advantage all the time of the inside track. There will never be any successful competition, probably, along this line until the question of the patent on the telephone instrument is settled by the supreme court. If it is decided that the patent has expired and the manufacture of the instruments is open to the world, then there will be a chance for the successful competition. New switch boards are now being made for the local exchange, as the ones they have, while comparatively new, are out of date."

A New Church Roof From Butter.

St. Augustine's Roman Catholic church, Kalamazoo, Mich., is going to build a new roof out of butter. Strange as it may appear, it will be water tight and sound as steel. The idea is this: Every parishioner who feels so disposed will deny himself the use of butter during Lent, and the money that would otherwise go for butter will build the roof. Other parishioners will abstain from certain pleasures and raise a fund for fresco work.

"Why," demanded the Caucasian beauty petulantly, "do you always eat pie with a knife?"

The sword swallower glared at her malignantly.

"To take the taste out of my mouth, of course," he retorted, and all was still.—Detroit Tribune.

How Are Your Kidneys? Does Your Back Ache?

Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills. [illegible]

TAKE A PILL. [illegible]

LIST OF CHAMPIONS

In the Various Classes in the Pugilistic Arena.

Base Ball Items of Local Interest—Bicycle News—Horse Notes—Trap Shooters.

The following list shows the present pugilistic champions:

World's Heavyweight—(?)

World's Middleweight—Robert Fitzsimmons.

World's Lightweight—Jack Mc Auliffe.

World's Featherweight—George Dixon

World's Bantamweight—Pedlar Palmer

American Heavyweight—(?)

American Middleweight — Robert Fitzsimmons

American Welterweight— Tommy Ryan (Joseph Youngs)

American Lightweight—Jack McAuliffe.

American Featherweight — George Dixon

American Bantamweight — Jimmy Barry.

English Heavyweight—Peter Jackson.

English Middleweight—Jim Hall.

English Welterweight—Dick Burge

English Featherweight—Bill Baxter

English Bantamweight—Pedlar Palmer.

Australian Heavyweight—Peter Jackson.

Australian Middleweight—Dan Creedon.

Australian Welterweight—Tom Tracy.

Australian Lightweight—Tom Williams.

Australian Featherweight—Al. Griffiths (Young Griffo)

Australian Bantamweight—Abe Willis.

THE MICHIGAN LEAGUE.

The Michigan Base Ball league was formally organized by electing W. H. Mumby, of Corunna, president, secretary and treasurer, and George B. Brown, of Port Huron, vice president. The cities in the circuit are: Saginaw, Port Huron, Lansing, Jackson, Adrian, and Kalamazoo. Manistee and Muskegon will be admitted to the committee, making a short jump circuit of eight clubs.

The salary limit is $600 per month, and the league will join class B, so as to secure reservation. The season will open May 18 and last four months, and it is thought on the limit all the clubs will stay it out. Sunday ball playing will be optional with the clubs.

BILLIARDS DECLINING.

Jake Schaefer, who is playing exhibition games in Boston, regrets the decadence of billiards. He said: "Billiards why there are none any more. There are no players. In the good old days, twenty years ago, every city over 10,000 inhabitants had an aspirant for the championship, and those players had no time to go around the country and give exhibitions. And they were all good players, too. George Sosson is under contract with a billiard table company and he is practically out of the game as far as tournaments are concerned. Ives thinks that he has won all the laurels he cares for on this side, and has gone across to Spain to defeat foreign players."

MINOR NOTES

Charley Mitchell may be on the Inter State league staff.

Frank Robison is said to be the sole backer of the Fort Wayne club.

Ed Miles, the shortstop of last year's St Joe team, has been signed by Toledo.

George D. Gideon has accepted the chairmanship of the L. A. W. racing board.

Catcher William Holmes has been elected catcher of the Ann Arbor university team.

P. C. Wood, of Detroit, won Class A medal in the Michigan Gun club shoot, scoring twenty targets straight.

Manager Moreland, of the Wheeling team, accepted the terms of Barney McGarvey, who pitched last year for Toronto.

Manager Torreson is after Pitcher Gray, of last year's Titusville team. Gray is an excellent twirler and would materially strengthen the Toledo club in the box

The Fleischmanns believe Gin'ma will be greater in his four-year-old form than he was last year, and that he will again make a name for himself when he begins to race.

Johnson, Murphy, Bald, Elliott, Zimmerman and other crack bicycle riders will go to Europe for the coming season. They claim they can make more money over there

James Reilly, a St. Louis professional, has accepted the terms of the Washington, Pa., club, of the Inter-State league. He is a pitcher and infielder of experience and will, no doubt, do good work this season.

Owing to a clash of dates for the second week of May the executive committee of the Ohio State Trap Shooters' league have decided to hold their annual tournament at Dayton, O., on June 9, 10 and 11.

The Westinghouse Electric company, of McKeesport, Pa., are said to be backing a scheme to manufacture bicycles to be propelled by electricity. The wheels are to be so constructed that the rider is not compelled to do anything but steer, a storage battery doing the work of propelling the machine along.

The report that Taral will ride Halma in the spring handicaps is a little premature. He has been asked what his terms would be to ride the horse, but has not yet replied, not having consulted Mr. Byrnes and Mr. Marcus Daly on the subject. It is probable that he will ride Halma, provided he gets the permission of his employers.

Count Magri, Mrs. Tom Thumb's husband, whose height is thirty inches and whose age is forty seven, has placed an order for what will be the smallest bicycle on record. The wheel will be fourteen inches, the frame twelve inches, and it will only weigh ten pounds. Special dies will have to be made. When the count was told that it would cost him $250, he threw up his hands, but the counter put up the cash

HILL AND NETHERSOLE.

The Statesman Said to Be Engaged to the Great Kissing Actress.

If Dame Rumor is correct in her deductions, David B. Hill has finally made up his mind to give society something to talk about. In other words, I have it on good authority that the dark eyed statesman from the Empire State is engaged to marry Miss Olga Nethersole,

MISS OLGA NETHERSOLE.

who, you know, is the tall and good looking English woman who is at present earning fame and a fair number of dollars in a dramatic tour of this country.

Miss Nethersole is a very clever actress, and I understand that the senator has been paying her more or less devoted attentions ever since their first meeting, which was a year ago in New York. The wedding is said to be fixed for June and will be solemnized at the bride's home in one of the aristocratic suburbs of London.

I give you this news for what it is worth, but it was given to me by a man who is both in an social and official point of view in a position to know what the senator's plans are, for both the present and the future.—Washington Town Talk.

NO WOMEN SINGERS.

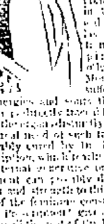
Barred Out of Catholic Churches by a Recent Vatican Order.

Women are no longer to be permitted to take any official part either as soloists or as ordinary choristers in the musical portion of the services of the Catholic church, an exception, however, being made in favor of the chapels of convents. A pastoral letter to this effect has just been addressed by Cardinal Richard, archbishop of Paris and metropolitan and primate of France, to the bishops and clergy subject to his ecclesiastical jurisdiction, and he bases his directions in connection with the matter upon express commands lately received from the congregation of rites at Rome.

This congregation is a committee of cardinals specially appointed by the Pope for the interpretation of canon law on the subject of the conduct of the various ceremonies and functions of divine worship. Being furnished with plenary powers, its decisions have to be taken as though given by the holy father himself.

It is to the scandal created by the action of certain French clergy in intrusting the solos of the most solemn portion of the high mass to an operatic star who is just at the present time arousing a considerable amount of unpleasant comment, even in the public press, by reason of her moral shortcomings, that the promulgation of Cardinal Richard's pastoral is attributed. He appears to have consulted the pontiff in person on the subject before issuing it.

Contrary to popular belief, even among the clergy, this decree, which bids fair to revolutionize the methods of public worship that have been in use in the Catholic church in every part of the world, except Rome, for ages past, is not a new law, but merely the revival of a very old one, which either intentionally or unknowingly had become altogether a dead letter. Few of the American visitors to Rome who have listened to the thrilling notes of the male sopranos of the so-called Sistine chapel choir at the Vatican have known that their enrollment by these prelates in charge of the musical portion of the services at St. Peter's is due to the existence of a law observed only in Rome, forbidding the use of women as choristers and soloists.—New York Journal.



The happiness of married life depends on the wife's health oftener than on any other one consideration. An ailing woman is a source of discontent to herself and a burden and drag upon her husband. Women by taking more interest in their own physical condition would for the best foundation for married happiness and every other happiness. More than half the suffering which saps the energies and sours the disposition of women is directly traceable to some disorder of the organs distinctly feminine. There is no real need of such troubles; they are inevitably cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which heals and strengthens the internal sensitive organs as no other treatment can possibly do. By restoring health and strength to this most important part of the feminine constitution, the "Favorite Prescription" gives new tone and energy to all the rest of the body.

One of the most deeply interesting and truly educative books ever written is the "People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," by Dr. R. V. Pierce, Chief Consulting Physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. This [illegible] pages, including [illegible] on the subject of diseases [illegible] with directions for [illegible] treatment [illegible] paper covers instead of cloth.

Half rates via the Nickel Plate road March [illegible] to points south and southwest. M. C. [illegible] District Passenger Agent No. [illegible] Fort Wayne, Ind.

Among the [illegible] Paul Kruger [illegible] of the statesmen of Europe.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

State Senator.

Ed. Sentinel: Please announce [illegible] candidate for [illegible] counties of Allen and Whitley [illegible] the decision of the Democratic senatorial convention. W. [illegible]

For Sheriff.

Ed. Sentinel: [illegible]

For Mayor.

Ed. Sentinel: Please announce the name of E. H. McDonald as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, subject to the decision of the Democratic nominating convention and oblige.

MANY DEMOCRATS.

Ed. Sentinel: [illegible] as a candidate for mayor [illegible] convention. SIDNEY C. LUMBARD.

Ed. Sentinel: [illegible] as candidate for mayor of [illegible] nominating convention. R. P. S. [illegible]

Ed. Sentinel: Will you please announce my name as a candidate for re-election to the office of mayor of the city of Fort Wayne, subject to the action of the democratic nominating convention.

CHAUNCEY B. OAKLEY.

For City Clerk.

Ed. Sentinel: Please announce to the democratic voters that I will be a candidate for city clerk, subject to the will as expressed by the nominating convention.

FRED J. [illegible]

For Councilman.

Ed. Sentinel: Please announce that I am a candidate for councilman from the Third ward, subject to the decision of the democratic voters. H. G. [illegible]

SHOW CASES AND REFRIGERATORS At Manufacturer's Prices to the Trade Only. C. E. BURSLEY & CO.

WANTED.

IF YOU NEED THE SERVICES OF A young woman or girl, for the sake of humanity do place an ad. here, and bring some poor and worthy person to you. It will cost you little, and will do more good than any quarter you ever spent. Think it over.

WANTED—Another boy at the Dispatch office, 28 Clinton street. 32

WANTED—A position as nurse. Call or address 29 [illegible] 24

WANTED—A good girl for general housework, at 28 W. Washington St. 32

WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisement, front page, first column. 4 tf

WANTED—Light work of any kind by the day or week by a young lady. Address or call, 103 West Main street. 32

WANTED—A good girl to general house work, must come well recommended, small family and good wages, at 271 West Berry street. 31

WANTED—To rent a furnished house, all modern improvements, for a term of three to four months, from the 1st of May. Address A. A. [illegible] Sentinel. 32

WANTED—Parties wishing a pleasant home, boarding house; also furnished rooms, two minutes walk from the depots. Call at 323 South Calhoun street. 29tf

WANTED—Everybody to call on Madame Wing, the only reliable clairvoyant and fortune teller in the world. Office and residence, No. 28 Chicago street, Fort Wayne, Ind. Price 50c. 29tf

WANTED—Everybody to attend the bankrupt sale of jewelry at 60 Calhoun street. Fine gold and filled watches at 20 cents on the dollar. 3 1w

WANTED—The National Life Insurance Co. of Montpelier, Vt., has met with such favor, and its business has grown to such proportions in this territory that I must have assistance. I want two or three good agents. C. B. Fitch, general agent, 26 Bass block. 25

FOR RENT.

HAVE YOU ANY VACANT HOUSES OR flats? You can find tenants quickly with an ad in the columns of THE SENTINEL.

FOR RENT—One suit of unfurnished front rooms, at 166 E. Berry. 17-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, with board. Mrs. Fitzgerald, 32 West Washington street. 29-3

FOR RENT—Five room cottage No. 25 Lake avenue, Lakeside. Call at C. J. Welker, 162 Calhoun street. 29

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house hold goods, etc. See advertisement first column first page. 13 tf

FOR RENT—A suit of unfurnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping, gas and water, at 196 E. Wayne street. 32

FOR RENT OR SALE. Premises No. 211 Webster street, corner lot, two story brick, 8 rooms, seven rooms house; gas, well, cistern and water works. Rent $20 per year. Inquire No. 14 Broadway. [illegible]

FOR SALE.

IF THE HARD TIMES DO SO HEALTH of one or the other for your case, you want to desire to trade or sell your business, now is the time and the [illegible] or buyer. [illegible]

FOR SALE. Money to loan on pianos, etc. See advertisement first page first column. 19 tf

FOR SALE. A [illegible]

FOR SALE. A Crane elevator as good as new. Suitable for a five story building. Enquire this office. tf

FOR SALE [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible]

FARMS FOR SALE.

[illegible]

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We Are the Recognized Leaders For HATS and CAPS in This City,

OUR HAT DEPARTMENT is a special feature of our business.

We at all times show the correct styles in both Soft and Stiff Hats, and buying in case lots for our many branches, we derive advantages which we offer to our customers that is impossible to obtain from the exclusive hatter.

Our new Spring shapes have arrived and the product of every Large Manufacturer is represented in our stock.

IN FEDORA'S

We are prepared to show a variety of colors at prices ranging from

$1.00 to $3.00.

Don't fail to investigate our stock this Spring. We will guarantee you a saving from 1-3 to 1-2 of your hatters prices.

Pixley & Co.

A. HATTERSLEY & SON.

PLUMBERS!

STEAM AND GAS FITTERS.

48 East Main Street.

Fort Wayne, Ind.

Pennsylvania Lines.

Trains Run by Central Time

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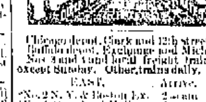
Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station Fort Wayne, Ind.

East Bound.	West Bound.
* 3 40 a. m.	* 3 05 a. m.
* 4 25 a. m. From Chi.	* 5 10 a. m. Limited
† 1 10 p. m.	† 7 10 a. m.
* 3 45 p. m.	†11 40 a. m.
* 1 45 p. m. Limited	* 1 20 p. m.
†11 35 p. m. From Chi	* 8 40 p. m.



Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets, Buffalo depot, Exchange and Michigan St. Nos. 3 and 4 and local freight trains daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

EAST.	Arrive.	Depart.
*No. 2 N. Y. & Boston Ex.	2 55 am	*3 15 am
†No. 4 Cleveland Mail	1 50 pm	2 10 pm
*No. 6 Eastern Express	6 20 pm	*6 25 pm
†Local Freight	1 25 pm	7 30 am
WEST.	Arrive.	Depart.
No. 1 Chicago Express	1 45 am	*2 05 am
†No. 3 Chicago Mail	1 05 pm	1 15 pm
*No. 5 Western Express	1 10 pm	*1 30 pm
†Local Freight	3 22 pm	7 00 am
*Daily.	†Daily Except Sunday	

Nos. 1 and 2 through drawing room and sleeping cars for Chicago.

Nos. 2 and 6 drawing room sleeping cars through to New York and Boston.

DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos. 5 and 2, and supper on No. 6. No. 1 supper at Cleveland. Nos. 3 and 4, dinner at Ft. Wayne. No. 5 supper at Bellevue.

Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute.

Baggage checked through to destination. For rates and other information call on or address

B. F. Horner, Gen. Pass Agt., Cleveland, O.
A. W. Johnston, Gen. Supt., Cleveland, O.
M. C. Baker, District Pass. Agt., Ft. Wayne.

★ Wabash R. R. ★

No.	GOING EAST.	Departs
43.	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily	4:48 a. m.
70.	Local Freight, Except Sunday	6:00 a. m.
4.	Kan. City & Toledo Ex., ex. Sun.	1:15 p. m.
44.	Fast Mail & Express, daily	7:52 p. m.
34.	Lafayette Acc., ex., ex. Sunday	11:40 a. m.
	GOING WEST.	
45.	St. Louis Express, daily	7:25 a. m.
3.	Kan. City Express Mail, ex. Sun.	1:25 p. m.
41.	St. Louis Limited, daily	5:20 p. m.
33.	Lafayette Acc., ex. Sunday	3:25 p. m.

FINDLAY, FORT WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

STATIONS.

Leave	EAST.
Ft. Wayne Mxd. 32	8 15 am 2 ? 4 0pm 5 ?5 am
Haviland	9 10 am 3 ?5 pm 6 ?1 am
Cloverdale	9 12 am 4 00pm 8 20 am
Ottawa	9 40 am 4 05pm 9 20 am
Arrive	
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	[illegible]
Findlay	[illegible]
Arrive	WEST.
Ft. Wayne Mxd. 31	[illegible]
Haviland	[illegible]
Cloverdale	[illegible]
Ottawa	[illegible]

Leave

Toledo C. H. & D. [illegible]

Findlay [illegible]

Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne. All trains daily except Sundays.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

NORTHBOUND.

*For Grand Rapids and North [illegible]

[illegible]

From Richmond [illegible]

SOUTHBOUND.

*For Richmond and Cincinnati [illegible]

[illegible]

From Grand Rapids [illegible]

From Grand Rapids [illegible]

*Daily.

All other trains daily except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

[illegible]

Cheap Meals served to women.

Young Women's Christian Association.

NOON REST.

24 West Washington Street.

Breakfast 7 to 8, Dinner, 11 to 2. Supper [illegible]

[illegible]

FREE DISPENSARY.

[illegible] visited at their home

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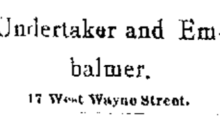

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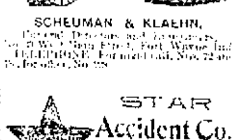

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Interest Never Flags in This Store,

And the woman who desires to keep thoroughly posted on the new things for Spring, wants to make daily visits. A member of quite pretty

Spring Capes

Came to us Saturday and we have them ready for showing. They are made of Velvets, Velours and Cloths. Cloth Capes in Black, Navy and Tan, richly embroidered in Persian effects, $1.50 each up to $12.00.

Velour Capes, trimmed with Jets and the New Spangled effects, $7 to $25.

Velvet Capes, trimmed with Jets in Colors and Blacks, and Spangled effects, $6 to $14.

Wrappers

At $1.00—made of standard quality of calico, made well, full skirt trimmed with ruches and herring bone braids. Better ones at $1.50.

At $2.00—made of English percales. The most excellent and best fitting wrapper ever made. To this line we call special attention. Better qualities in this make at $2.50, $3.00 and up to $5.

At $2.50—made of dimities, with embroidered collar and cuffs. Better lines of dimities up to $5 each.

Rogers' Knives and Forks.

At $1.25 a set of one half dozen we will close out all knives and forks in the store. They are Rogers' make, fine silver plate and warranted for years. The actual value of these are $1.88 up to $2.50 per set. You will find them at Jewelry case.

Men's Neckwear.

New Neckwear just from the makers. 'Twill be the choice for the pick for easter.

Men's New Teeks, 25 to 50c
Men's New Bows, 25 to 50c.
Men's New DeJoinvilles, 18c.

Imperial Paper Patterns.

This paper pattern which has sprung into popular favor is going to be THE pattern of the day. It is the best in this country. Sheets for March ready.

BLACK BEAUTIES.

Black Dress Stuffs (also handsome, we can say extra, and for the qualities, low in prices. All wool black Crepons a different crinkle from any yet seen, for summer and spring use. The weight. Three lines, 75c, 90c and $1.00.

WHEEL WEARS in Black Serges, 54 inches wide, strong, good looking, for women using wheels. Three prices, 75c, 85c and $1.

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The blacks are perfect. Two lines with a little cotton mixed in 20 and 25c. Four lines, all wool, every thread. We help you to see the blacks by putting them in the strongest light. Three lines, 30, 35, 40, 50c

Comfortables

For spring and summer use, made of silkolines, extra large sizes, south down filled, or, properly speaking filled with very fine fluffy cotton, making them feel like down filled. Prices $2, $2.50 $3.50.

Onyx Stockings.

18c, or 3 pairs for 50c. Is one grade we call special attention to.

Fast Blacks, 10c, 3 for 25c.
Fast Blacks, 12½c pair.

Look at these three lines.

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EVERYBODY GOES TO

THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED, Pressed, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 65 and they will call for your work.

16 ARCADE,

Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Rev. D F. Kam, of Monroeville, has been granted letters patent on a power ditch digger. The machine is drawn by two horses and digs a tile ditch as fast as the horses walk.

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 21f

Two choice lots on Rivermet avenue, corner of Oneida street, for sale at a great bargain if taken before March 15th Enquire of W. V. Douglass, Schmitz block. 29.4

Miss Helen Hoenefelds has returned from Columbia City, where she was visiting the Misses Daniels and attending the Charity ball.

OUR ANNUAL MID-WINTER PANT SALE

That is so anxiously looked forward to by the majority of the people in Fort Wayne and vacinity is now in full blast, and we are confident that this is the greatest

Special Pantaloon Sale

That has ever taken place in this city. We have never been able to quote such low prices nor give you such a large and desirable selection of styles and fabrics.

$1.48

For Men's wool Pants in Cassimeres and Cheviots, that are worth from $2.00 to $2.50.

$1.98

For Men's all wool Pants in Cassimeres, Cheviots and Worsteds, that sell the world over at $3.00 and $3.50: we have all sizes of each pattern.

$2.48

For Men's all wool Pants in fancy worsteds, black cheviots and cassimeres in elegant patterns and finely made. These would be cheap at $3.50 and $4.00.

$2.98

For Men's fine Pants in all fabrics and styles, that are worth $4.00 and $4.50 of anyones money.

$3.48

For Men's finest worsted and cassimere Pants, worth $4.50, $5 and $6. See window display.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1896

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office.....No. 173.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

The Weather.

Washington, March 3.—For Indiana Snow tonight and Wednesday colder Wednesday; brisk northeast winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs Herman Berghoff is very low.

Born to Mr and Mrs. John Nehr, of Pontiac street—a son.

A Oppenheim a merchant of Bluffton, was in the city today on business.

Miss Hattie Drake, of Hartford City, is the guest of her brother, Henry Drake.

Mrs. J. M Henry will give a progressive pedro at her home on Friday evening

Burr Glenn, of Huntington, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs William Glenn.

Mr and Mrs John Dickman, of 117 Boone street, were presented with a leap year son Saturday.

M E Burns the proprietor of The Post, has returned from Indianapolis, where he spent Sunday.

Miss Frankie Juliard went to Chicago this morning to study spring styles and fashions in dress making.

Miss Jeanetta Fulton, of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting her sister, Mrs A. E. Collett, of 40 Brackenridge street.

The Wit and Wisdom club will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs F. H. Poole, No. 31 West Creighton avenue.

The Humane society holds its annual meeting at the Y. M. C. A. at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Officers will be elected.

Mrs. A. D. Guild will give a thimble party tomorrow afternoon in honor of her guests, Mrs. W. H. Hatfield and Mrs. M. A. Poole.

The Elks minstrels meet tomorrow night for rehearsal. The company is progressing nicely with the program and the entertainment promises to be first-class.

Home lodge No 342, F. & A. M., met this afternoon at 1 o'clock. A large number of candidates were to receive the Master Mason's degree and the work will continue far into the night. Supper will be served at the lodge room at 7 o'clock this evening.

Columbia City Post: "Mrs Scantling, who has been visiting for the past week with friends in this city returned home to Fort Wayne this afternoon.—Miss Buchman returned to Fort Wayne today after spending a couple of weeks in this city the guest of Miss Mame Clugston."

The entertainment given by Edwards camp No 3 327, of the Order of Modern Woodmen, at their hall on Court street last night, was attended by a large crowd, who thoroughly enjoyed themselves. A fine program was rendered and afterward the ladies served refreshments.

Bluffton News: "W D. Scaton, night mailing clerk of the Fort Wayne postoffice, is visiting among friends here for a few days.—Miss Millie Plessinger went to Fort Wayne this morning to visit a week with friends.—Mrs. A F. Bly of Fort Wayne spent Sunday with her husband in this city."

The board of public safety had a meeting last night, and investigated some charges that were made against Policeman Knock by Charles Snyder, of Wilmot, Ind. Snyder claimed that a few nights ago he was in the parlor of the Harmon house when Officer Knock came in and laid down on a sofa and went to sleep and snored so loud that it disturbed Snyder. The board made an investigation and found that Knock did not go to sleep in the place, therefore he was acquitted of the charges.

The membership contest at the Y. M. C. A is creating much excitement among the participants who are working hard to win the prizes. The prizes to be given the successful contestants are now on exhibition at the association parlors. The first prize, a handsome Smalley wheel, worth $100, was donated by the Randall Cycle company the second, a valuable gold watch, was donated by August Bruder; Golden & Patterson donated a $25 suit of clothes for the third prize and the proprietors of the Hoosier Shoe store have given a pair of shoes as one of the other prizes. The other prizes are a $12 membership ticket in the association, a $5 cane and umbrella by the P. S. clothing house, a fine mackintosh by the Bell Clothing house, a sweater by the Friend's Enterprise, a carom board by the Temple of Economy, and a membership ticket in the junior department.

Hot House Lettuce and Pineapples for This, Tuesday Afternoon.

Nice Fresh Lettuce, large bunches, 10c lb.
Havana Pineapples, 20c each.
Valencia Oranges 20c dozen.
California Oranges, 35c dozen
Best Messina Lemons, 20c dozen.
Malaga Grapes, large bunches, 25c lb
Jersey Cranberries, 10c and 8c at

FRITZ HOSAR.

The Young Women's society of the First Presbyterian church will give a musical at the church Friday evening, April 10.

Edmunds & Law's first figures are their last figures. 1tf

The Frost & Fanshawe Co. commenced a week's engagement at the Empire last night to an audience so large that many were turned away long before the rise of the curtain. The company is one of the strongest repertoire companies on the road. They appear in a different play every night. Tonight they appear in the funny comedy "The Country Postmaster." The managers will admit ladies free tonight again if accompanied by a paid ticket

Mrs. A. H. Hamilton and Miss Agnes Hamilton, are in the east.

John W. Fawley spent Sunday at Wabash visiting friends.

Mrs Landis is entertaining her brother, Mr Swank, of Argola.

Attorney A. L. Clark, of Greenville, Ohio, was a guest in the city over Sunday

Mr. T. A Green, of Knox, was in the city over Sunday, the guest of Mrs. C. H. Meek.

Dr. and Mrs G. L. Greenawalt are expected home from Baltimore about the fifteenth of this month

Mrs J W. Hippenhammer, of Scott avenue, who has been very sick for some time, is slowly recovering.

Mr and Mrs. Elsworth Fox are now at home in the pleasant cottage on the corner of Wilt and Jackson streets

Mrs. August Yergens, of Washington township, the wife of a well known farmer, is very low with pneumonia.

Mr and Mrs Dalby, of Montpelier, Ind., spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. W. G. Gates, No 153 Jackson street.

John S. Hart, of Hicksville, one of the promoters of the Fort Wayne and Hicksville electric road, was in the city today.

Miss Rica Bargman returns home this evening after a week's absence, attending the wholesale millinery openings.

The condition of J. P. Lloyd, of East Berry street, this morning was extremely critical. It is feared that the end is fast approaching.

Mr. and Mrs. August Heuer, of Chicago, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son. Mrs Heuer will be remembered as Miss Tillie Thieme.

The festival of Purim was held at the Standard hall last evening and presented a very beautiful and interesting program by the Jewish Sabbath school.

Daniel Meyers and son, the ice cream manufacturers of Columbia City, are in the city today, looking up a location for their business for the coming summer.

There will be a meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of the City Y. M. C. A., at their rooms in the association building tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

At a regular meeting of the Fornightly club last evening, Mrs. August Deiger read an interesting paper on "The Early Mental Development of Children."

Frank Stone, of East Wayne street, who has been confined to his home with illness for some time, has recovered and is now able to resume his place on the road for an Indianapolis hardware house.

The Young Ladies' society met yesterday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church, and made final arrangements for a concert and organ recital to be given in the auditorium of the First Presbyterian church, April 10.

Will Winch, formerly of this city, but who has for some time resided in Warren, Ind., is arranging to remove to Florence, Ala., where he will engage in the lumber business. His family will leave for the south in a short time.

Mrs. Harry Nade entertained the officers of the Morning musical, at Wildwood, this afternoon, in honor of Miss Villa Whitney White and Miss Dillingham, of Boston, who gave the program at the Morning musical recital this morning.

Rev. S. D. Snyder, formerly of Dayton, has been called to the pastorate of Heidelberg Reformed church and has signified his acceptance. Mr. Snyder comes well recommended as a pulpit orator and an earnest worker, and the new congregation will flourish under his direction. Heidelberg church now consists of eighty-two families.

The invention of J. R Mote, of this city, for the purpose of registering the names of the streets on the street cars, is an unique one and if introduced would be a great convenience to the public. As the car approaches a street its name is dropped to view by means of an attachment to the rail, which works attachments in the car at the proper time.

Rev. F. G. Cadwell, of Ann Arbor, Mich., who is assisting the pastor of Bethany church in holding revival meetings this week, is a graduate of the McCormick Theological university at Chicago and was a classmate of Rev. Davies, the pastor of Bethany church. He is a brilliant pulpit orator. His sermon last evening was an able one and interesting to the large audience present.

EATS NICKEL PLATING.

The Facts Slowly Come Out.

"I notice that all around the faucet and the faucet handles of our coffee urns the nickel plating is eaten off," said the coffee maker in one of the large city restaurants lately, "and the inside of this big dipper that we use steady in drawing off coffee gets to be a sight. I believe it hurts peoples' stomachs more than they think. I know I had to quit it, and when I quit, my dyspepsia left me in less than a week."

Postum Cereal is made of pure grains and looks like coffee. It fills the want for coffee for those who cannot drink the berry liquid. Postum Cereal makes good healthy red blood and can be used by children and invalids as well as the healthy ones.

Attend the lecture of Marion Harland, at the Wayne street M. E. church, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights.

Morgan & Co. are pleased to announce that they will handle this year, The Barnes, Tribune, Halliday, Alex Hoosier bicycles, with a full line of Imps' wheels in all patterns, and everything in the sundry line, needed by the enthusiastic bicycler, including suits and shoes. Messrs Snyder and Anderson both men of large experience, will be ready to receive and wait upon all customers and others desiring to look at wheels. Remember the place, 19 and 21 E. Columbia St 29.3

TO BE PAVED.

Pontiac Street From Calhoun to Lafayette.

Wayne Street Will be Graded—Petition for Paving Holman Street—Business of the B. of W.

The board of public works at the meeting yesterday afternoon considered the plans and specifications for the paving of Pontiac street from Calhoun to Lafayette street. A resolution for the improvement will be prepared and passed at the next meeting. It was decided by the board that hereafter contractors for street paving will be required to put up a larger deposit as a forfeit for the proper performance of the work. The amount required heretofore was $25 but the members of the board intend hereafter to fix the amount in accordance with the importance of the contract.

P. A. Randall petitioned for the paving of Holman street from Calhoun to Clinton street. The petition was filed for future reference.

A petition was also filed which asked for sidewalks on the east side of Lillie street from Creighton avenue to Pontiac street.

The superintendent of streets was instructed to look after some lots on Michigan avenue, between Broadway and Maiz street, which are located high above the sidewalk, which at every rain are overflowed with water.

The city engineer was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the grading of Winch street from Maumee avenue to the Wabash railroad.

THE MAYOR'S STORY.

He Tells One With Effect in Police Court.

How He Dealt With Peter Jenkins, an Old Soldier, Who Had Been Arrested for Intoxication.

Peter Jenkins, an old soldier, was before the mayor this morning charged with having been full of applejack. Jenkins explained to the mayor that he wanted to get to Columbus, Ohio, in time to draw his pension tomorrow. He said he hadn't a cent, but that he fell in with a lot of old comrades in this city and they succeeded in getting him drunk. After considering the case a while Mayor Oakley asked the veteran:

"How long did you serve in the army?"

"Four years, your honor," Jenkins replied.

The mayor consulted with Deputy Prosecutor Aiken and then said: "I am a good deal like General Jackson in this case. One time a soldier was brought before General Jackson for being intoxicated. Jackson asked him how long he had served in the army, and the soldier replied that he had put in four years. 'All right, my man,' said Jackson, 'you may go. A man who has served four years in the army can get drunk in my town as often as he likes'."

Finishing his story, Mayor Oakley handed Officer Hines a quarter and told him to get Jenkins a breakfast and then see to it that he got out of the city on the first train for Columbus. Jenkins was profuse in his thanks for the leniency and kindness and promised to never get drunk in Fort Wayne again if he lived a million years.

The public are kindly invited to attend the Bicycle Show in the Y. M. C. A., City Department, Friday and Saturday afternoon and evening, March 6 and 7. Most of the dealers in the city will be represented and the hall will be decorated. The spaces are already assigned and the parties named below will exhibit. There will be shown most of the best wheels made in the country and a large line of sundries, including tires and different makes of all the necessories and conveniences for bicycle riding. During the evening music by the Mandolin Club and some gymnastic exercises will be given at intervals for the entertainment of the visitors.

A small admission fee of 10 cents will be charged for the benefit of the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium

Mr. Joe W. Bell will exhibit the Davis, Syracuse, Spaulding and Pierce wheels.

Messrs. J. C. Peters & Co. will show the Sterling and Featherstone as an intermediate line.

Messrs F. M. Smith & Co will present the old and reliable Columbia and the Hart ord lines.

The Randall Cycle company, so long and well known, will entertain you with the good points of the Cleveland, Gendron, Smalley, Waverly and Winton.

Mr. A. C. Katt will tell you of the fine points of the Ramblers, Andres, Crescent and Outing wheels

The Columbia Machine works will have a fine line, including the Arrow, Eclipse, Fenton and Liberty wheels.

Mr. Louis Mohr will spend his forces on the White, a superior wheel made by the White Sewing Machine company.

The Steger-Gouty Cycle company will be there and there to stay with the Viking, Stearns, Napoleon, Hoffman and Kearney bicycles.

Morgan & Company's exhibit will be under the charge of Messrs Snyder and Anderson, and will present the old favorites Trilune and Halladay and in addition, the Barnes White Flyer and the Alix as an intermediate grade

We receive beautiful new designs in wall paper daily, which we intend to sell at very low prices. Come and see them at

HEINE & SCHATZ,
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Not being able to accomodate all the ladies who desired to witness our performance, we will a unit ladies free again tonight, if accompanied by a paid ticket.

EMPIRE THEATER.
Frost & Fanshawe Co.

Mad Anthony Tent, No 48 K. O. T. M., instituted four new members to their ranks last night.

LEADERS CHOSEN.

New Officers of the Epworth League of the Wayne Street M. E. Church.

The regular annual business meeting of the Epworth league of the Wayne Street M. E. church was held last night and the following officers elected for the ensuing year:

President—Miss Clara M Bennett.
Chairman Department of Social Entertainment—Miss Alice Hamil.
Chairman Department of Spiritual Work—Miss Louisa Drittmeyer.
Chairman Department of Mercy and Help—Mrs G. S. Miller.
Chairman Department of Literary Work—Frank Doldine.
Secretary—Charles E. Wright.
Treasurer—J Edward N Dillon.
Chorister—W D. Williams
Organist—Miss Carrie B Schrader.
President of the Junior League—Miss Lottie Smith

The league voted to contribute $500 towards the building fund of the new church and decided also to furnish a memorial window for the new edifice. They also employed F. M. Barrows, the artist, to take views of the old church building and the interior of the auditorium. The photographs taken from these negatives they will sell for the benefit of the church fund.

MISDIRECTED CHARITY.

Associated Charities Strike an Explanation in Regard to It.

EDITOR SENTINEL.—The attention of the public is called to a certain class of mendicants who are still found begging on the streets and in business places. The organized charities of this city have undertaken to abolish street begging, and for this reason we wish to make a statement of the facts which are as follows. The beggars referred to are old persons whose feeble appearance and persistent appeals usually obtain for them the alms which they ask. In each case, however, there are grown up children or other relatives at home who could earn a living, but prefer to live on the proceeds of this misdirected charity. It is impossible in these cases to give anything to the aged and infirm without its being shared by those who are not only lazy but in many cases dissolute, immoral and objectionable to the neighborhoods in which they live.

The different charitable agencies are united in the determination to refuse aid to such persons and to induce them to abandon their worthless relatives whom they are partly supporting and accept a home in the county asylum where they would be much better cared for. The reason why this has not been accomplished is that the parties referred to prefer to beg and find it a lucrative business. It is therefore, only in the interest of true charity that the public is asked not to assist any applicant without first learning the facts in the case. This information can always be obtained through the Associated charities

C E PREVEY,
General Secretary.

Resolutions of Condolence.

HALL OF BRANCH NO 103, C. K. A. I.
FORT WAYNE IND MARCH 1, 1896.

WHEREAS Almighty God in the exercise of his divine will, has removed from this world and the turmoils of this life, our friend and brother, James Woulfe, therefore we the members of St Bernard's Branch 103 of the Catholic Knights of America, beg to pay our last and tribute to the memory of the departed and to express our sorrow that the generous pulse of the friend we knew so well, has been stilled forever by the icy hand of death.

Having been an active member of the Catholic Knights of America for fourteen years and at the time of his death an honored and efficient officer of Branch 103, we feel that in his untimely death we have sustained a loss that will be difficult to adequately fill.

Always ready to respond to any call of sickness or distress, devotedly attached to the fraternal orders of which he was a member and foremost in promoting their principles and success, his simple christian life and unassuming charity, his zealous work in behalf of every cause, will be an inspiration to emulate his noble example and prove the most enduring monument to his memory.

Resolved, That we tender to his bereaved widow our sincere sympathy in her great affliction, and express very inadequately in this way, our sorrow and regret at the loss of one whom we had learned through years of fraternal association, to esteem for his untiring zeal, to honor for his unswerving manliness, to respect for his kindly counsel and to love for his many charities.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of our late brother.

D GORMAN
PATRICK RYAN,
W. L. LOGAN,
Committee.

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Two Horse Buggy 5.00
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The finest lot on West Berry street, northeast corner of Rockhill, 50x150 feet; $30 per front foot. Will be sold $500 down, balance $40 per month. Inquire A. B. WHITE,
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256 Calhoun Street.
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A. H. Bettinger, Attorney.
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The $1.00 monthly plan known as the Tri State Plan is the best plan in the state to borrow money on pay fast or slow. $1,000 for $10 per month.

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If you wish to save money take the A. A. stock. $1 per month. No membership fee. No fines. Call at office, cor. Berry and Court streets, for a maturity table, which will show you the value of your stock each month until maturity.

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